

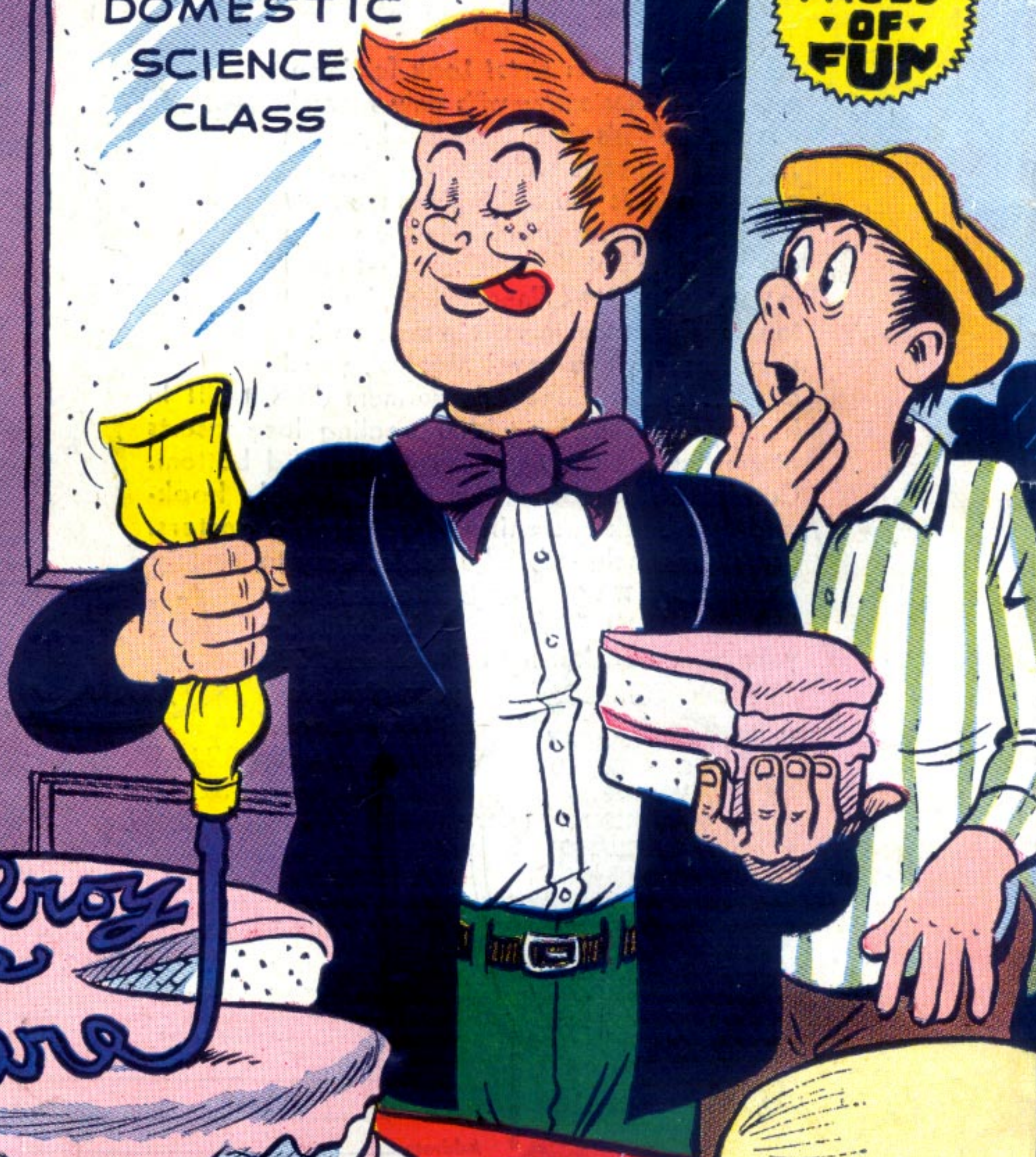
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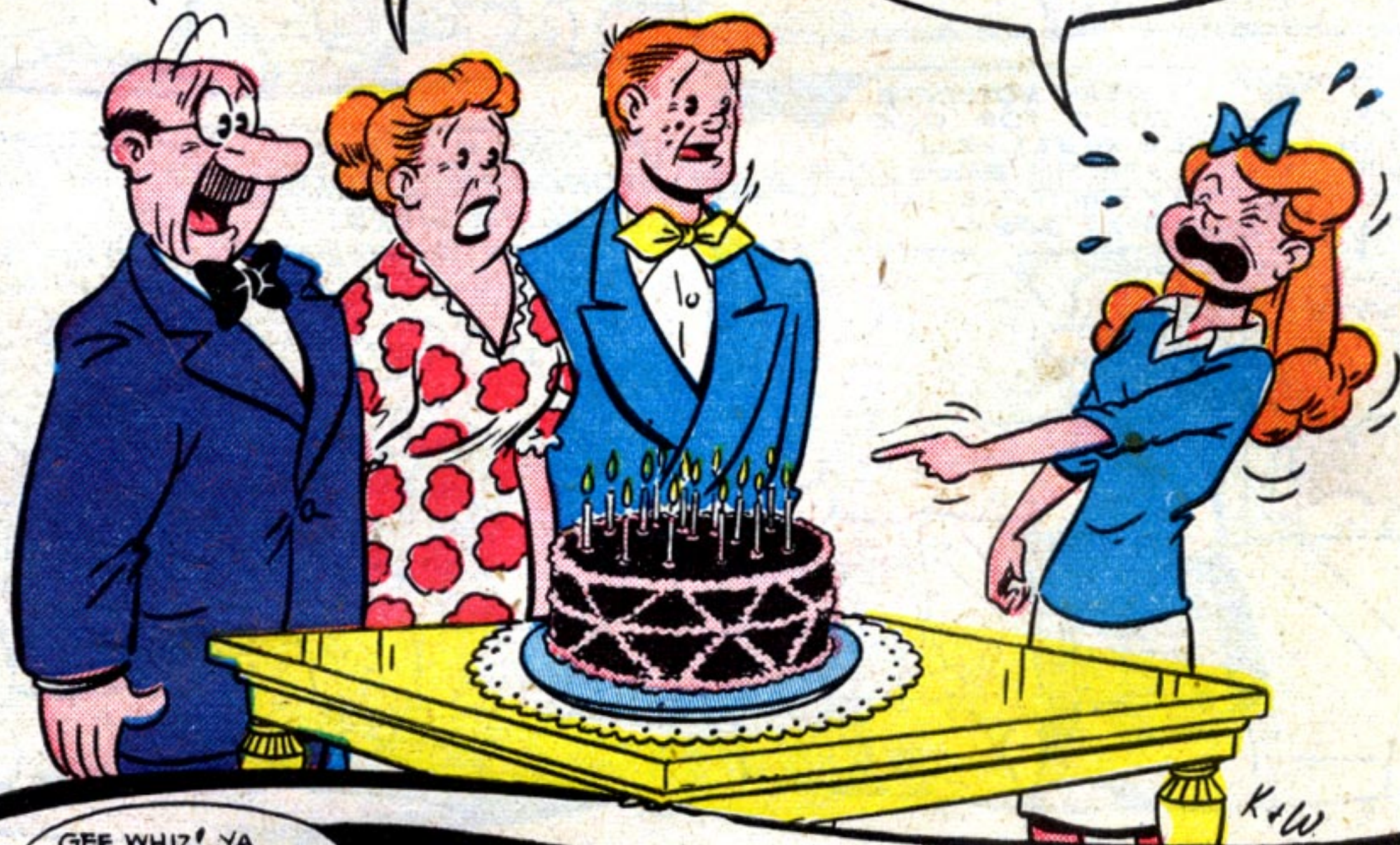
MAIL COUPON NOW!

The **KILROYS** in

"KATIE'S BIRTHDAY PARTY"

♪ **HAPPY BIRTHDAY,** ♪
DEAR KA-A-A-TEE!
HAPPY BIRTH... HEY!
WHAT'SA MATTER?

BAW!
I JUST REALIZED
THAT I'M GETTING
TO BE AN
OLD WOMAN!
BAW!!



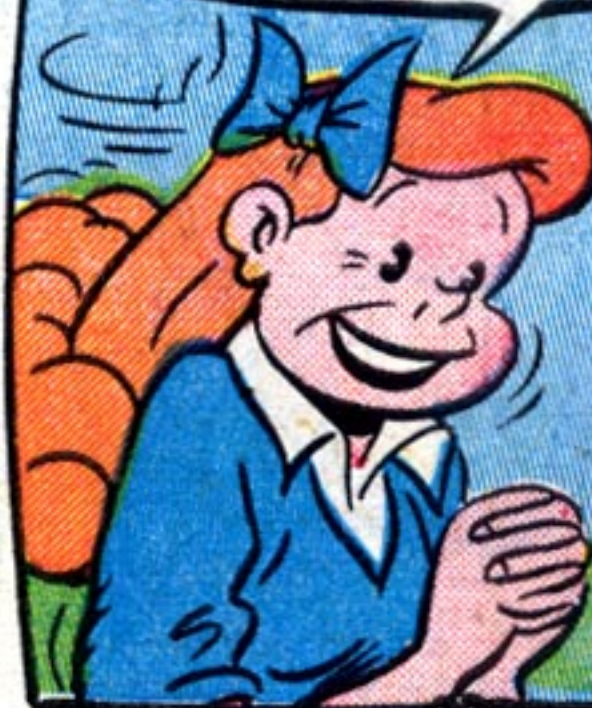
GEE WHIZ! YA
KNOW SOMETHIN'
DOUBLE UGLY? IT'S
ONLY **3 DAYS** TO
MY **BIRTHDAY!**

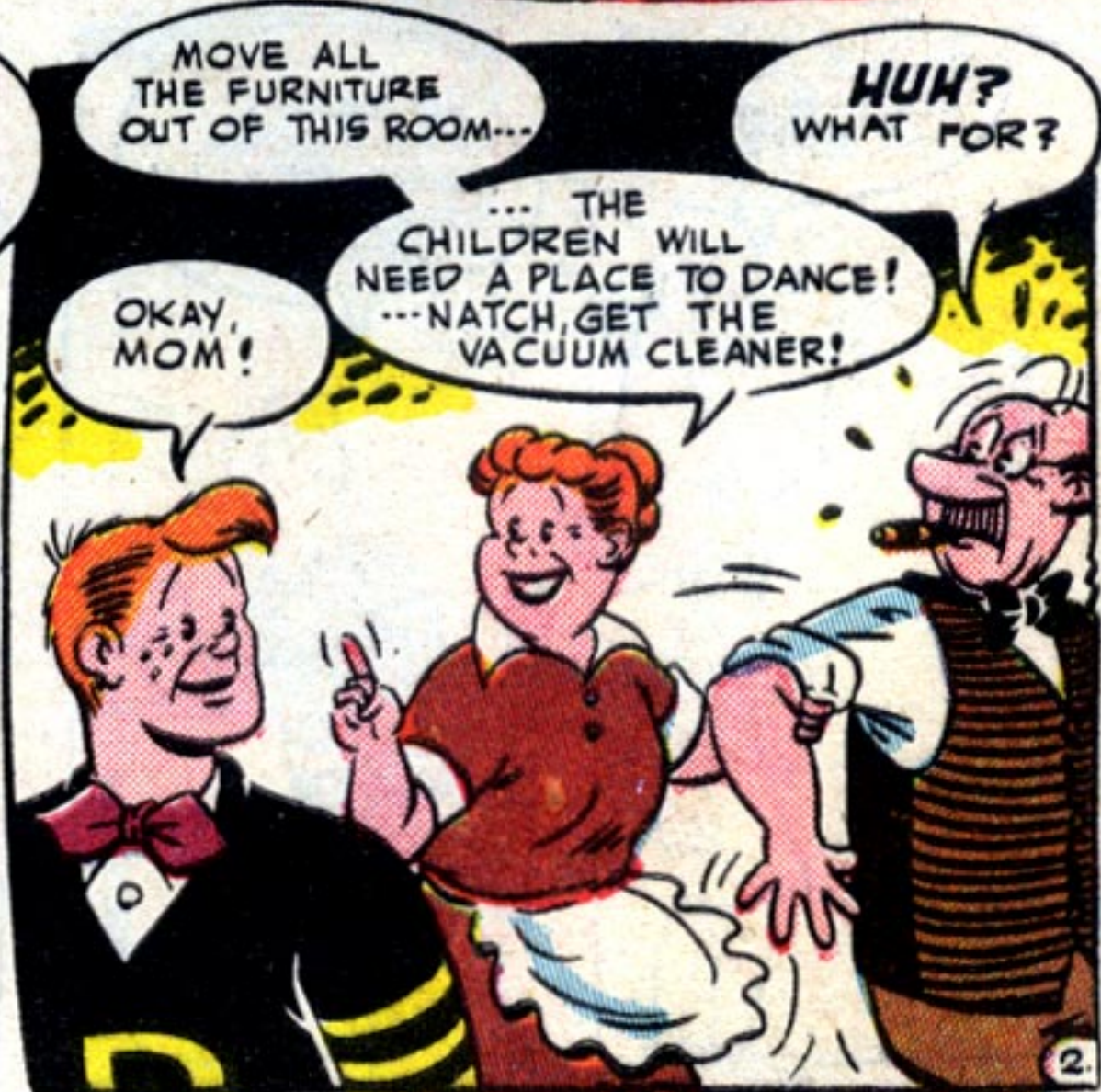
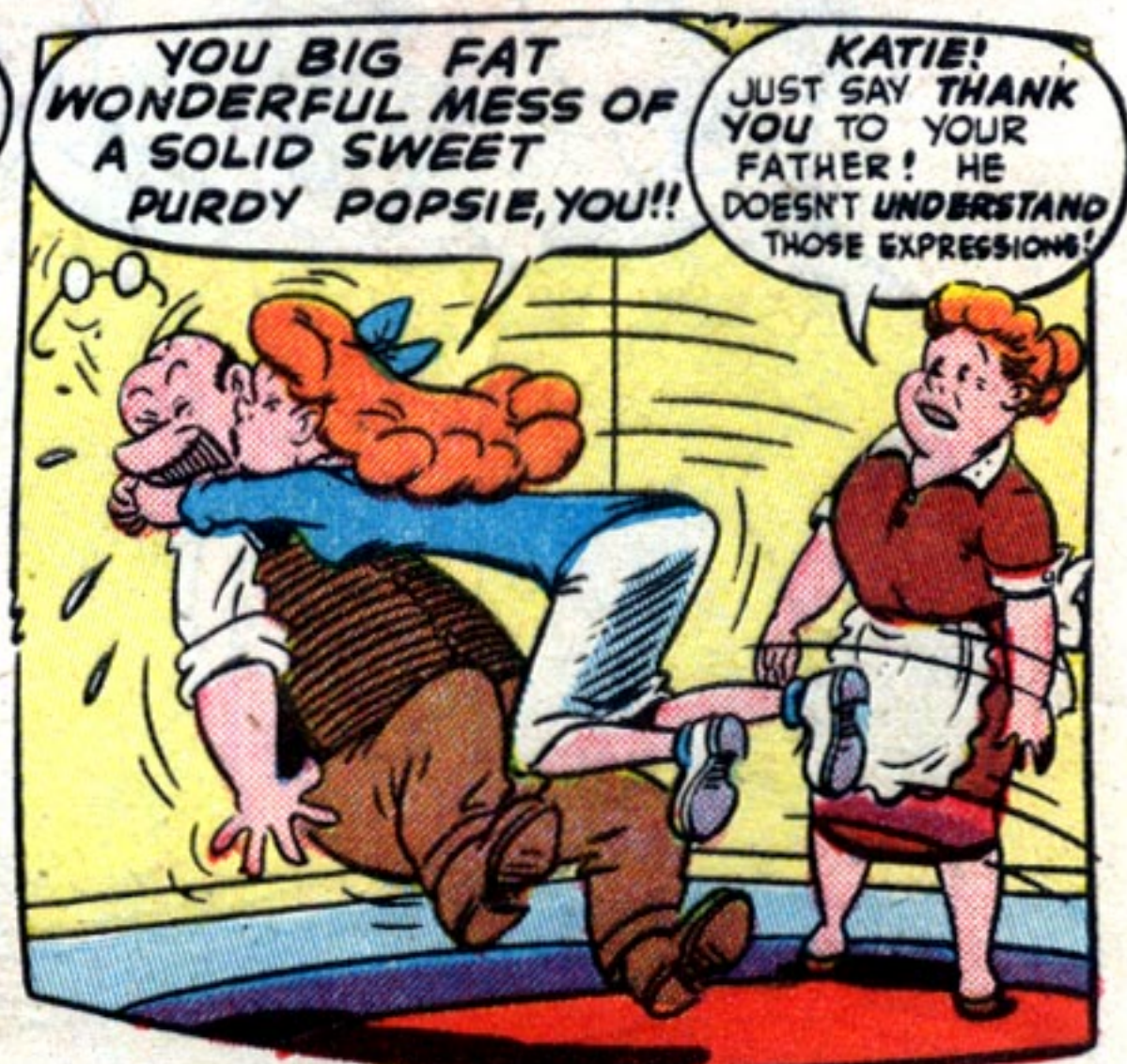
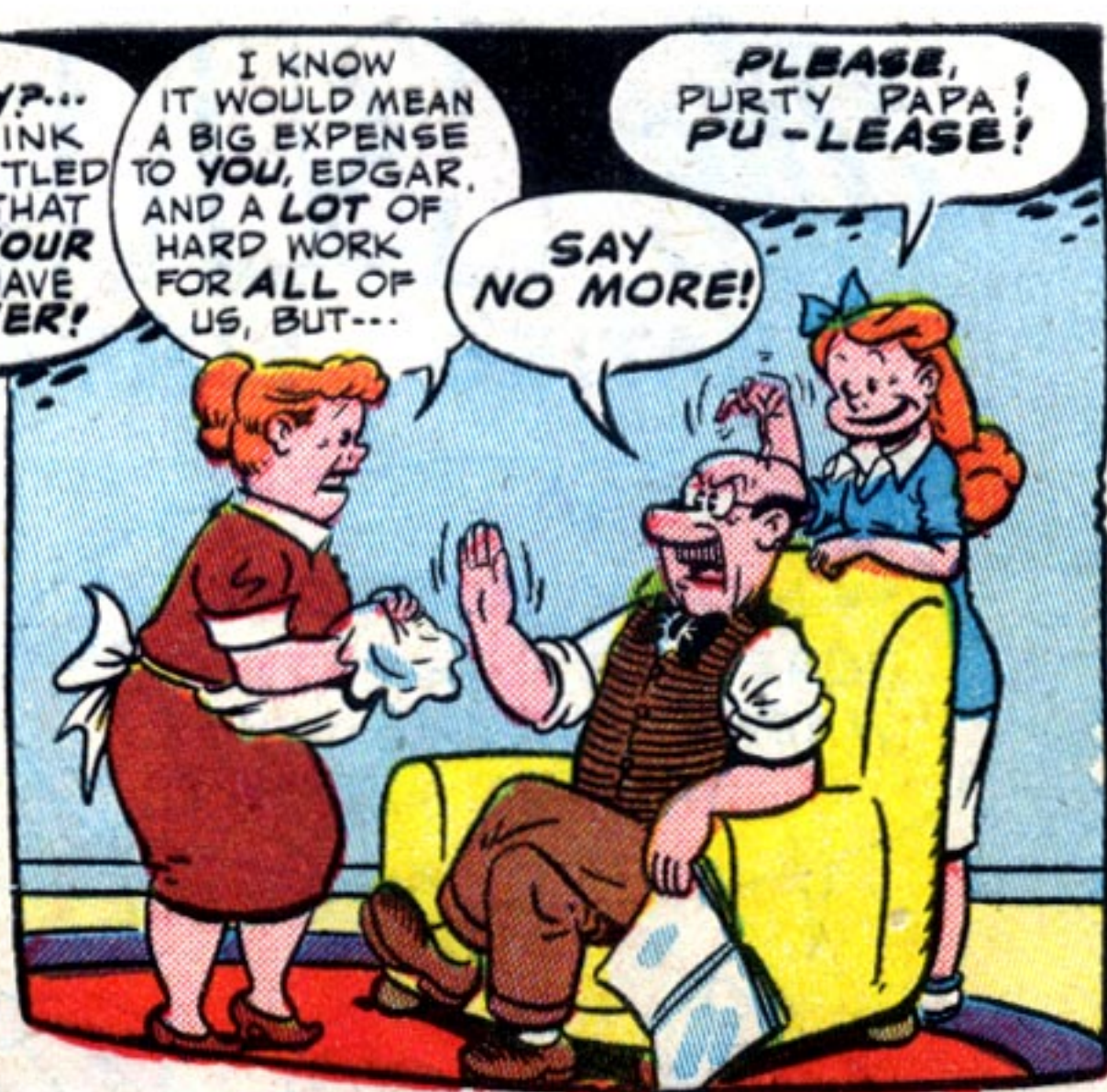
NO KIDDIN',
KATIE? GOSH,
YOU'RE **REALLY**
STARTIN' TA
GROW UP!

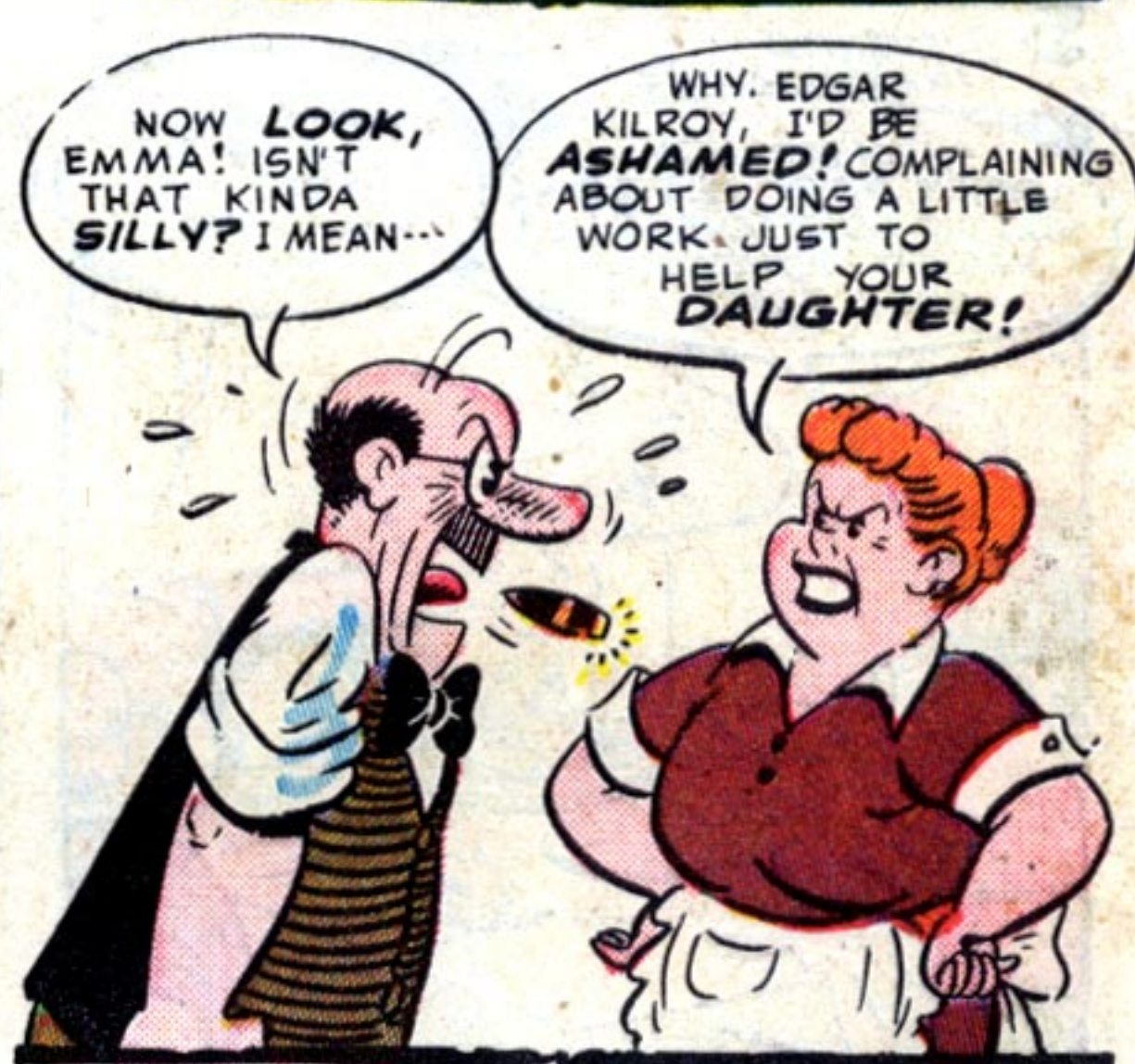
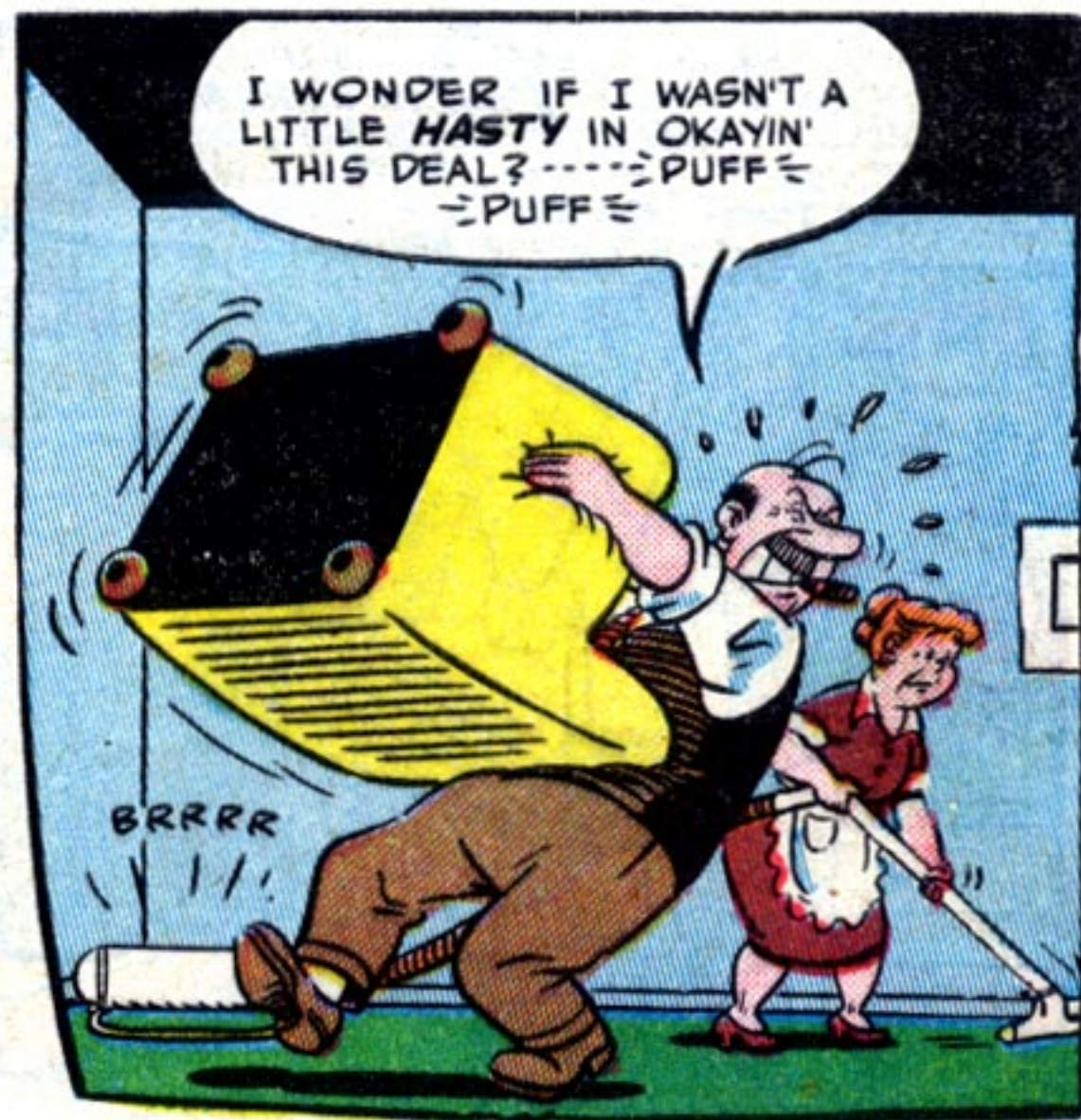
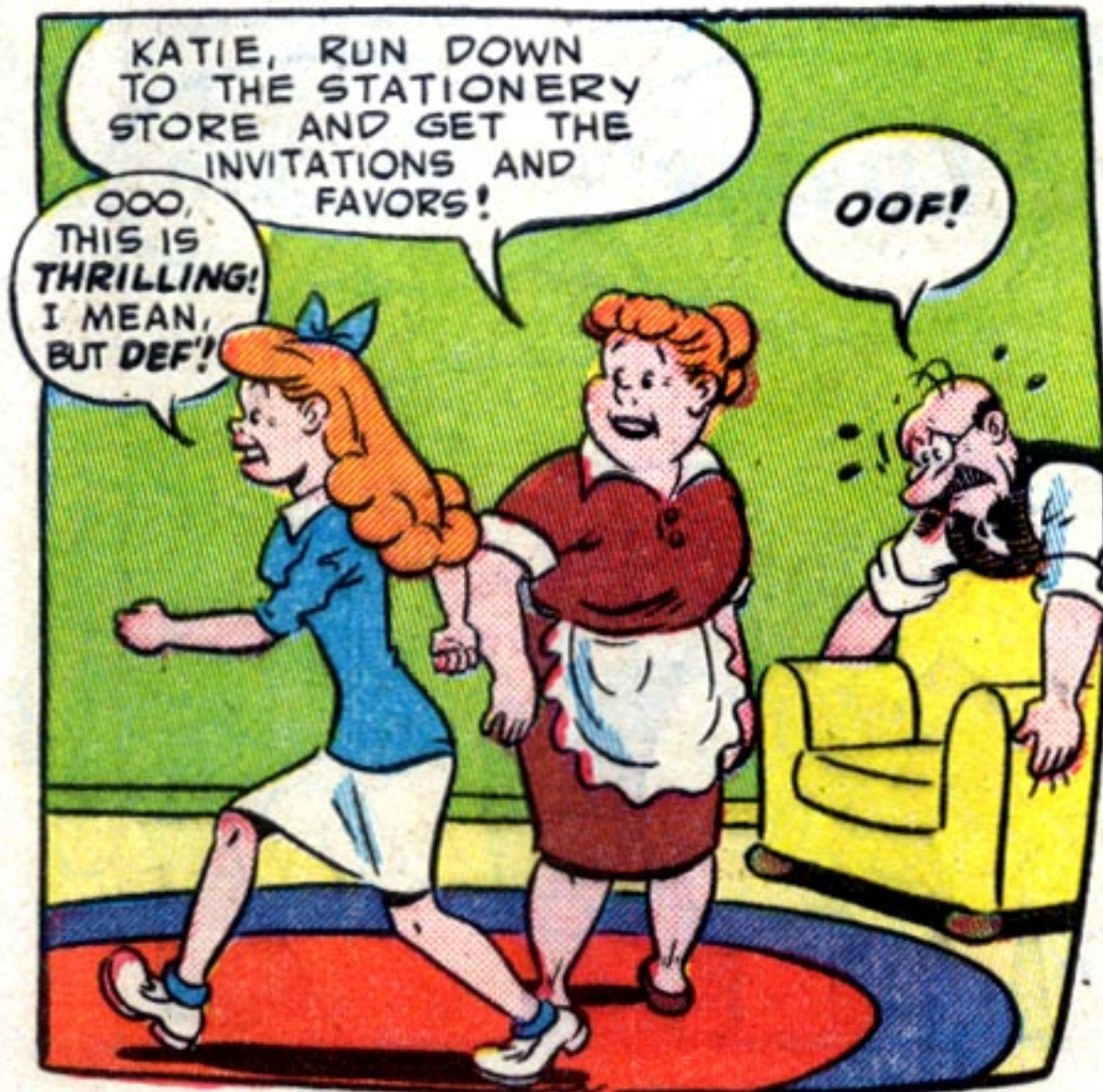


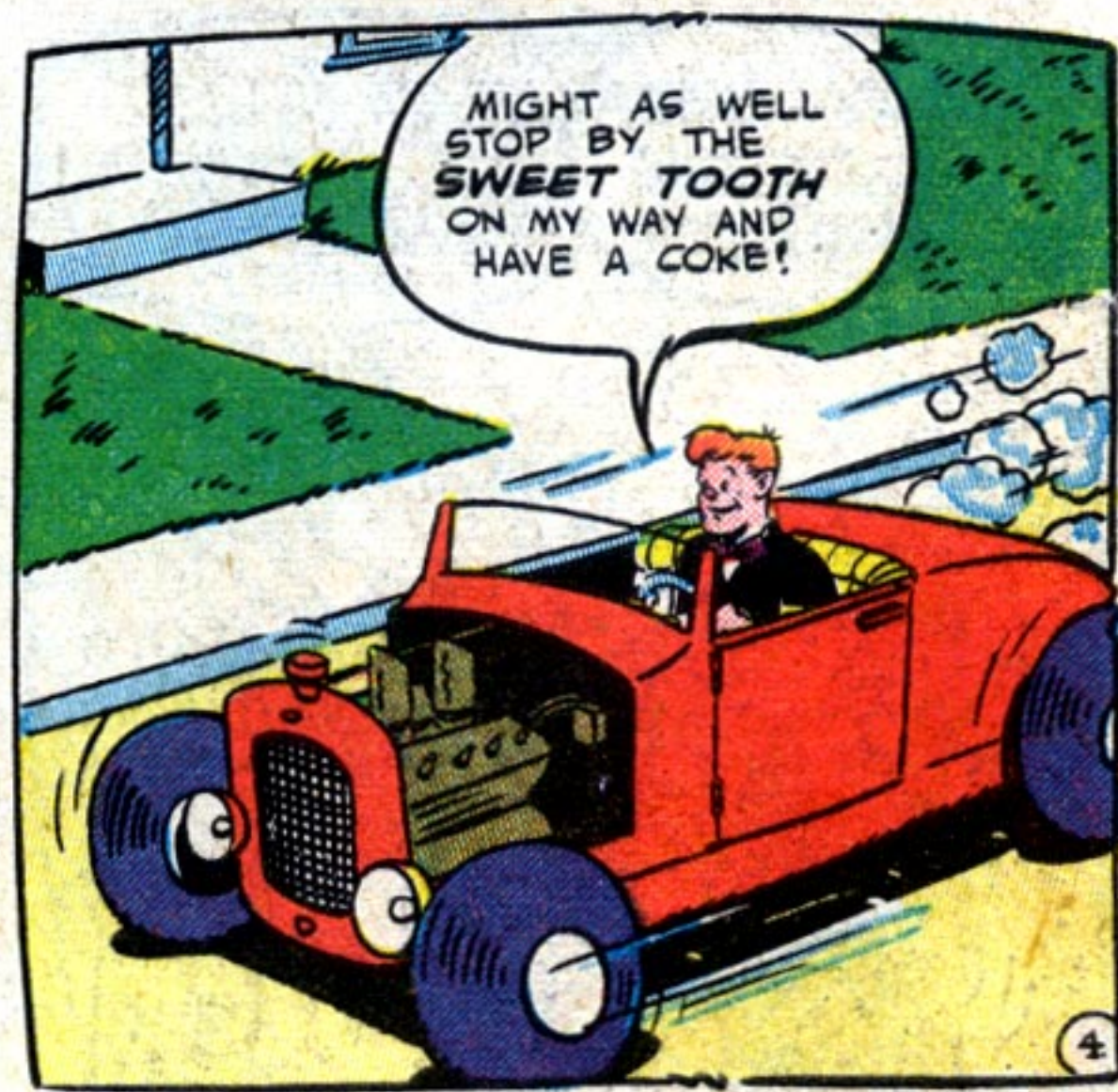
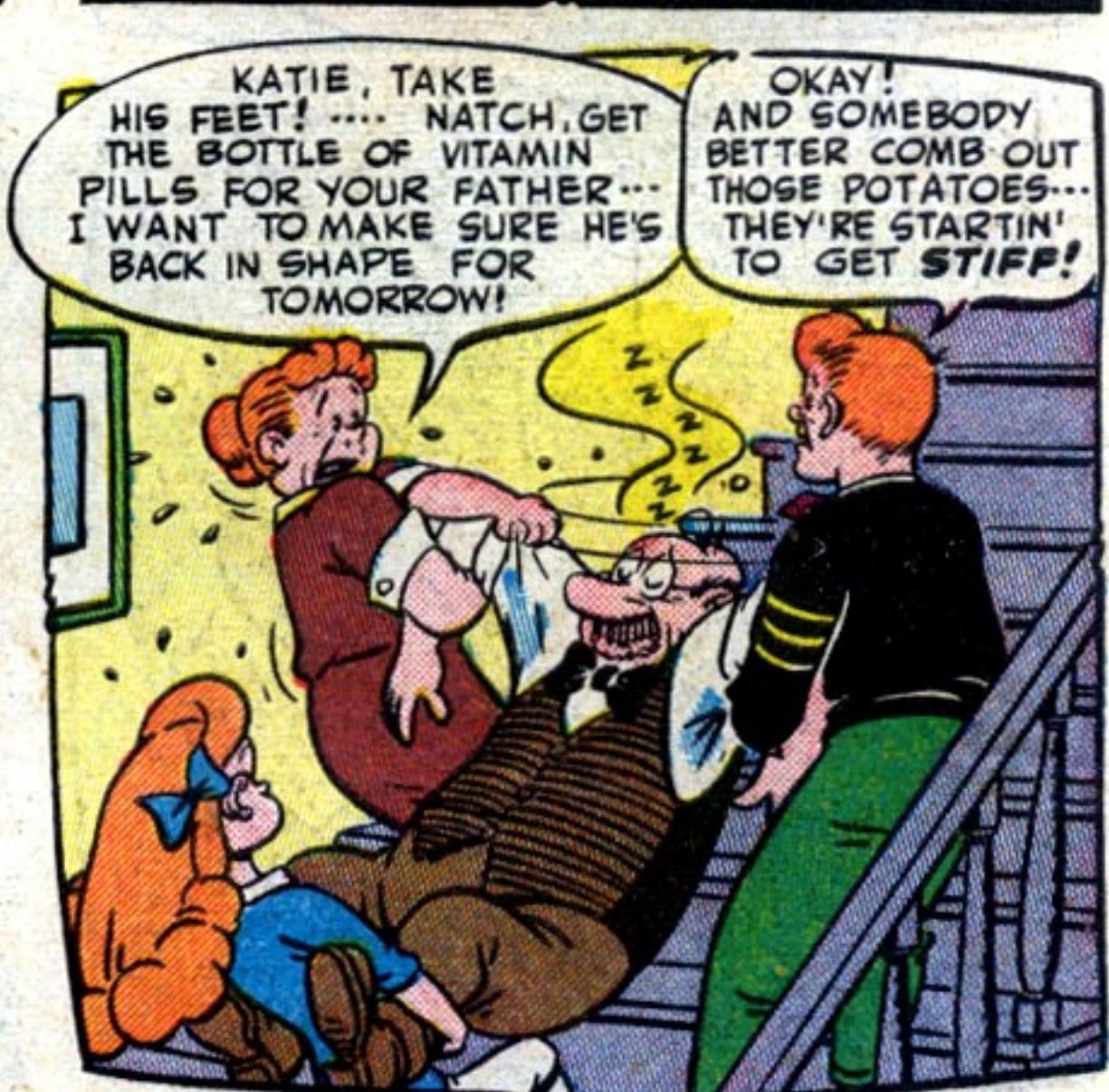
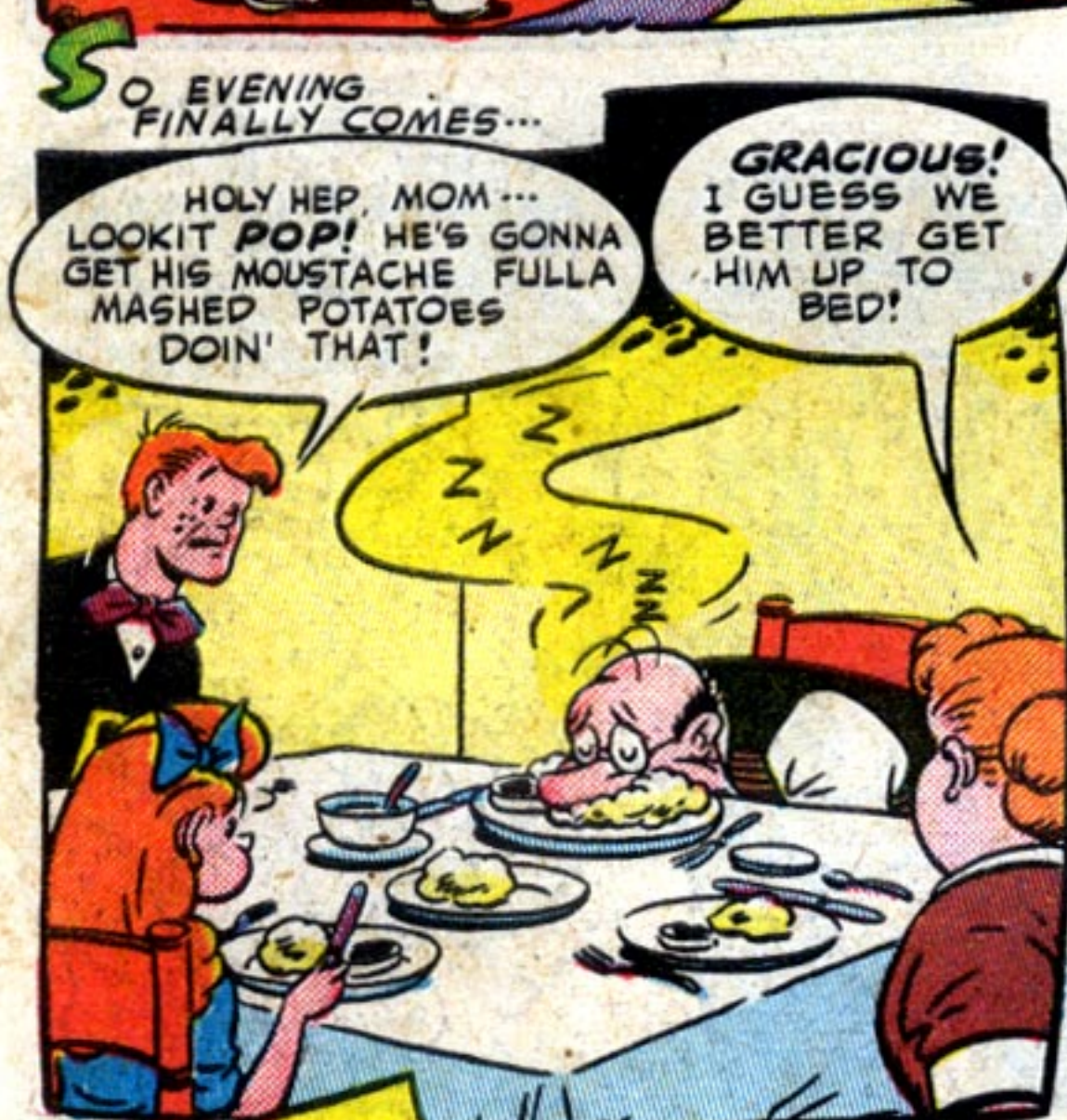
HOLY HEP! I WONDER
IF MOM AND POP WOULD
LET ME HAVE A **PARTY?**... I
MEAN A **REALLY BIG PARTY**...
ONE WITH **SUPPER** AND **GAMES**,
AND A **BIG SWING-DING!** I'VE
NEVER HAD A BIRTHDAY PARTY
LIKE **THAT** BEFORE!

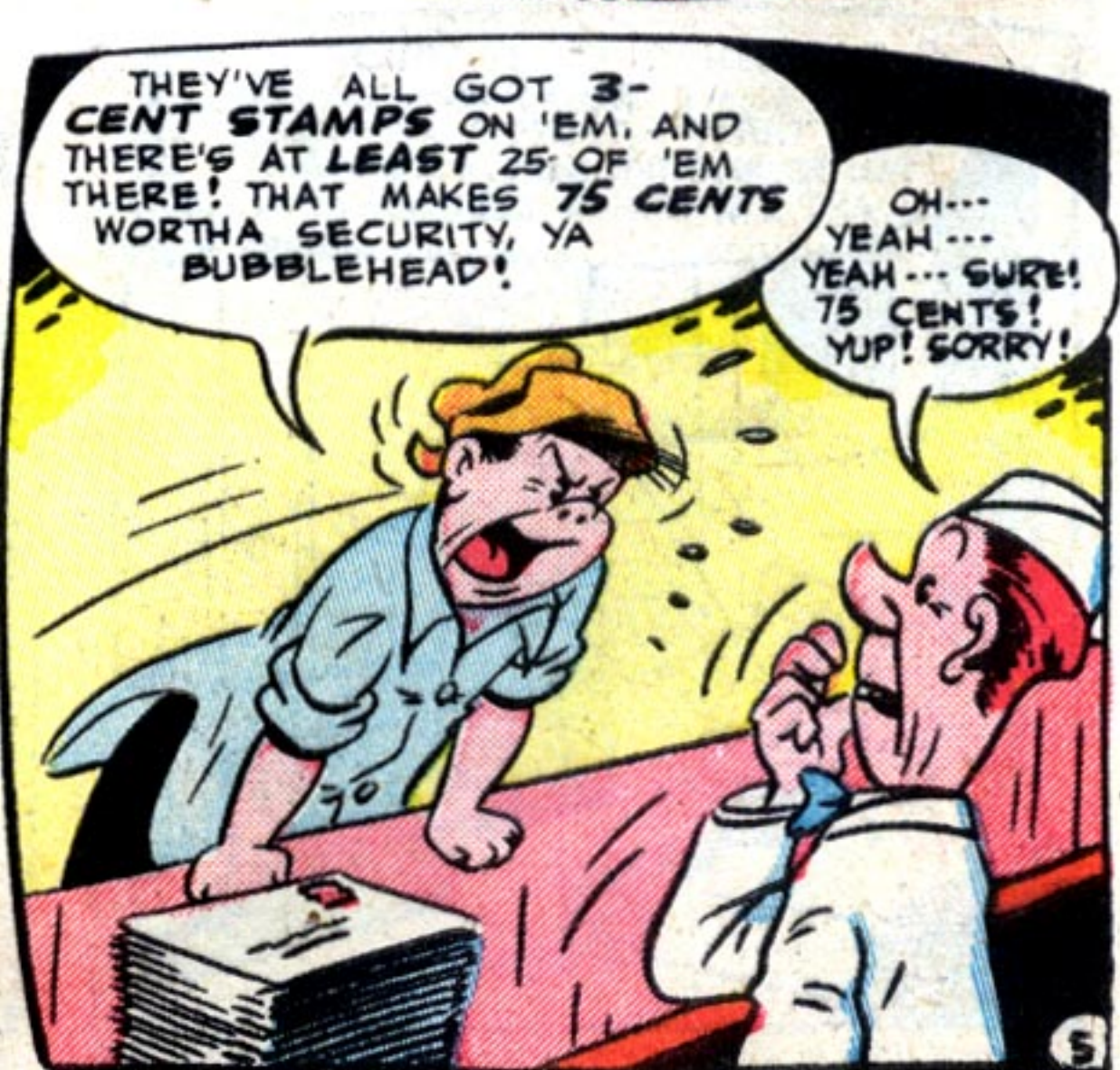
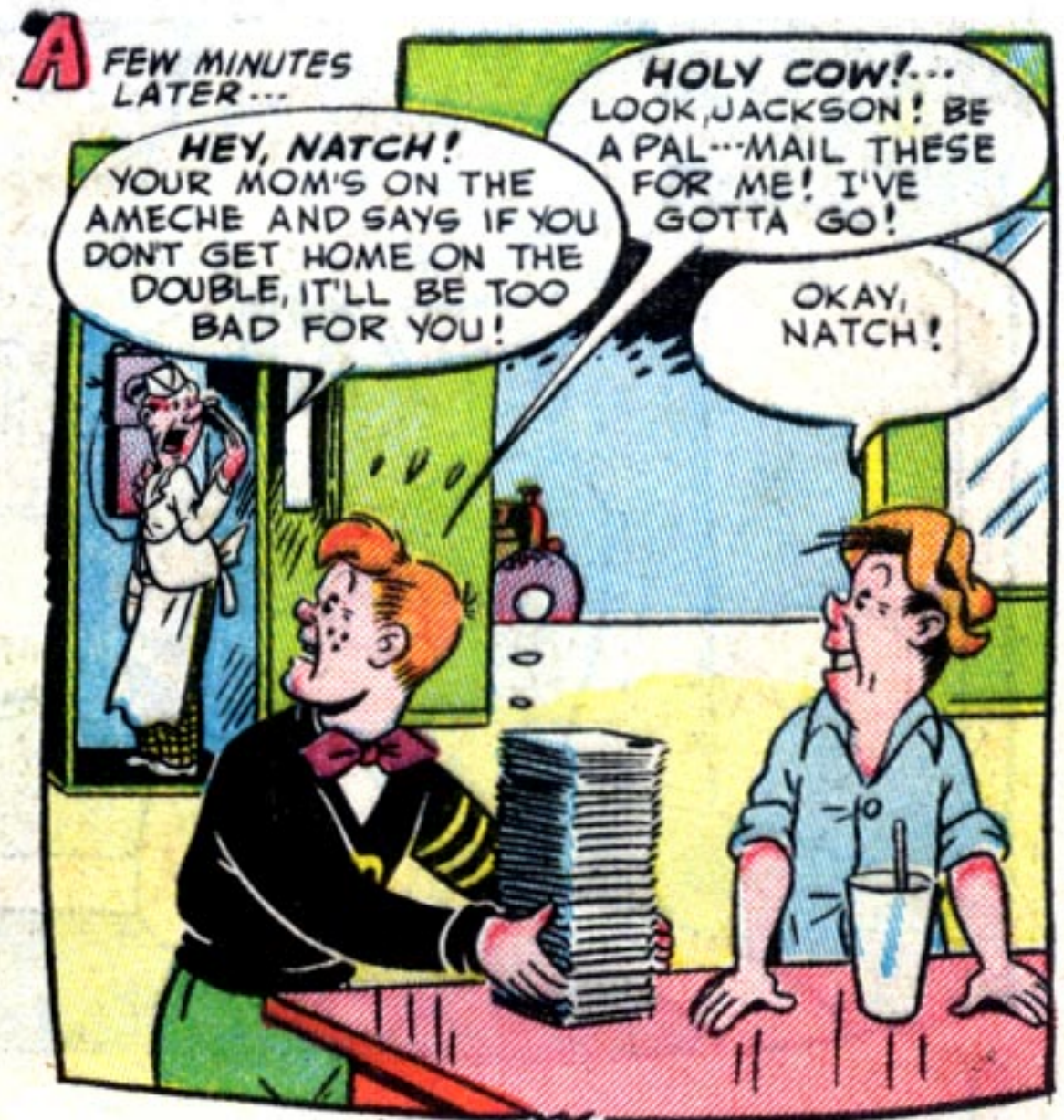
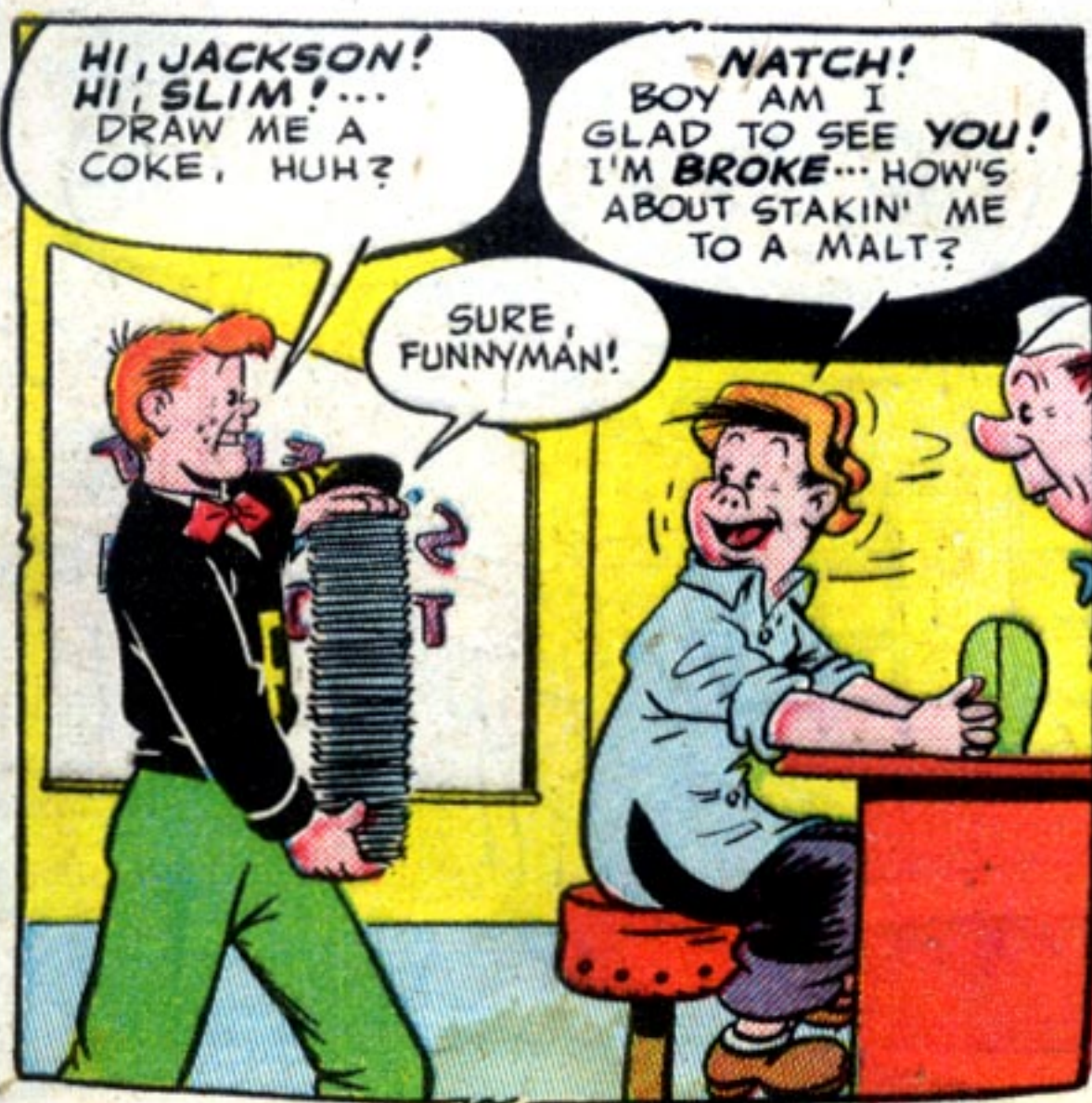
WHY DON'T
YOU ASK 'EM?
I THINK IT'S A
KEEN IDEA!

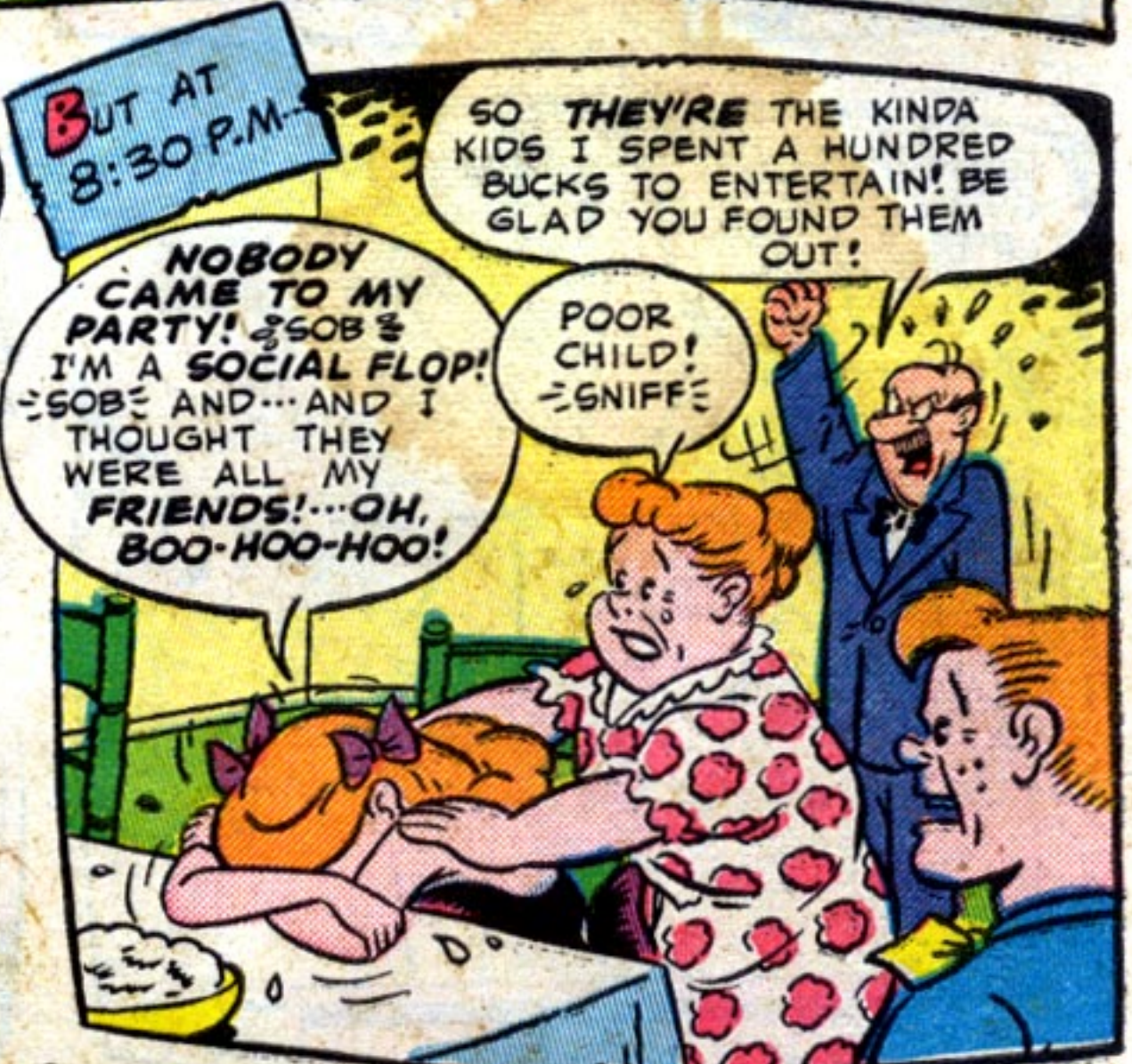
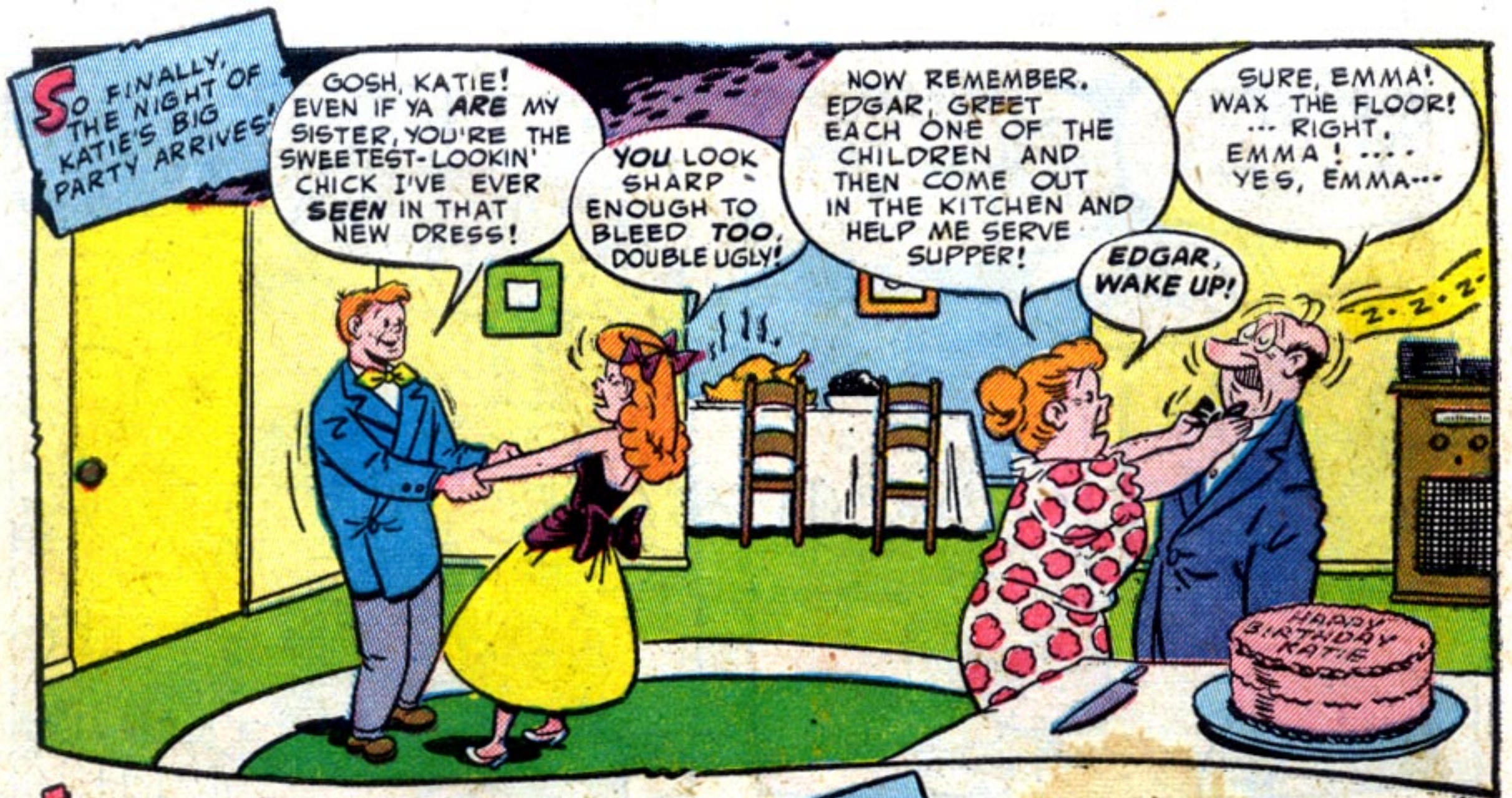


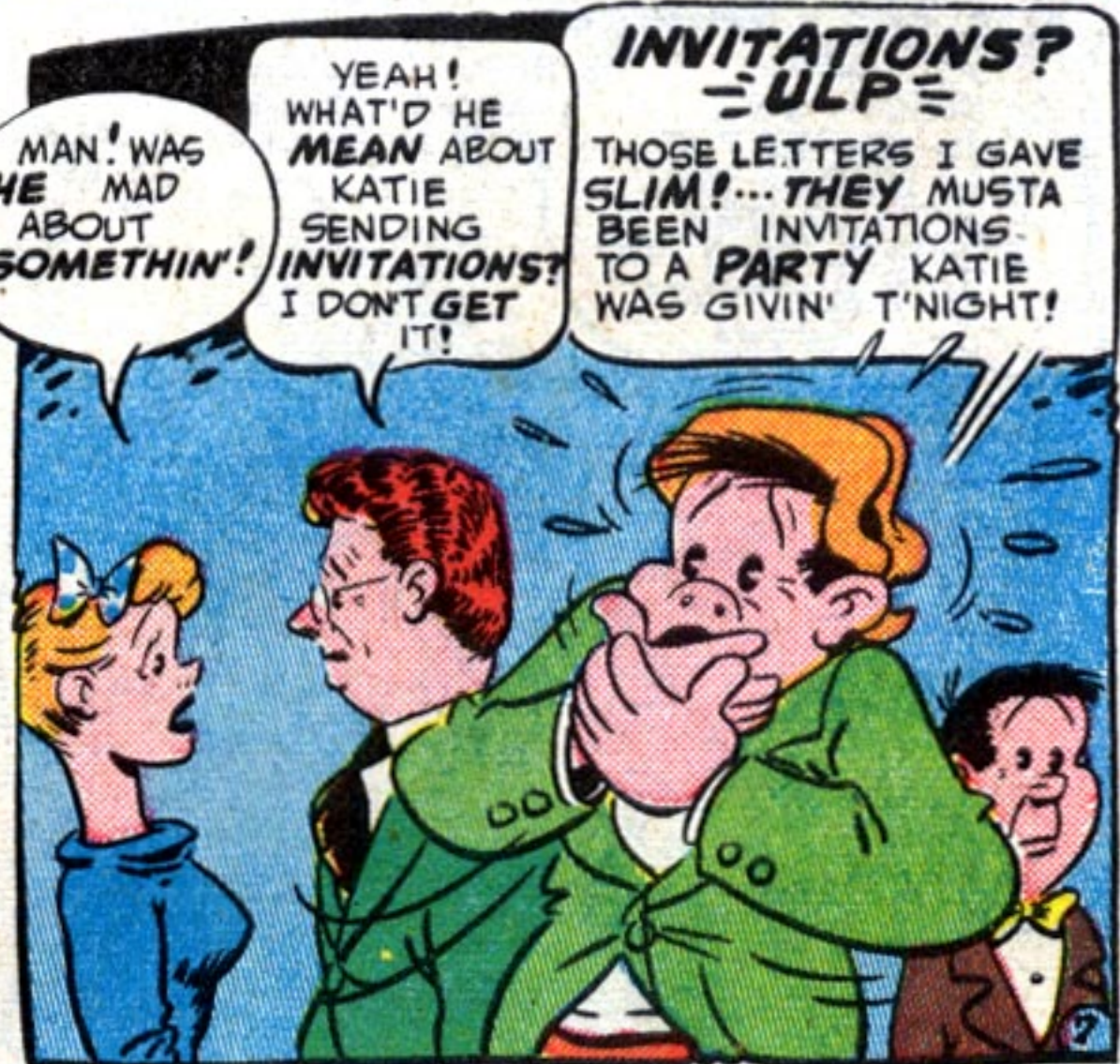
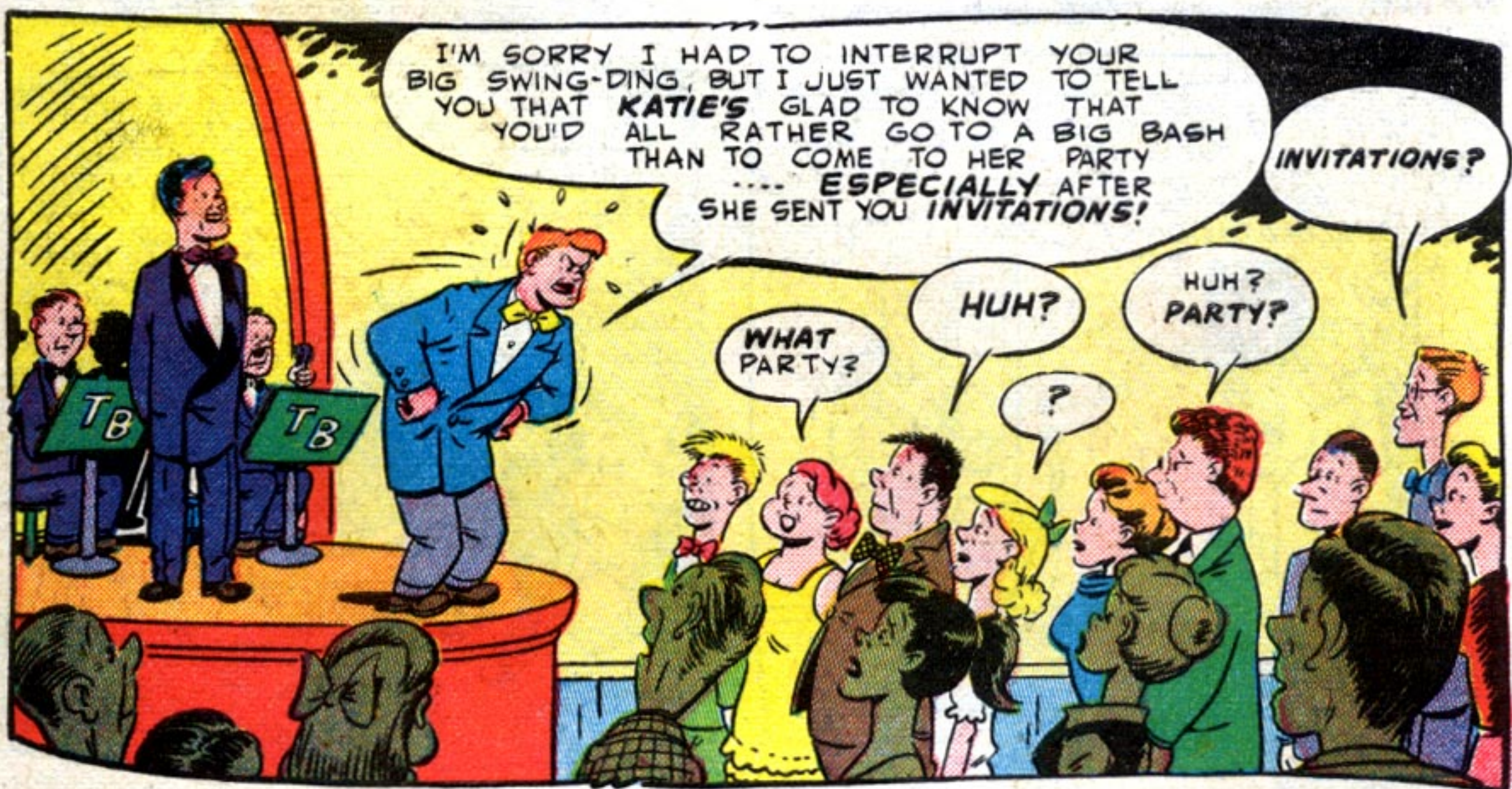
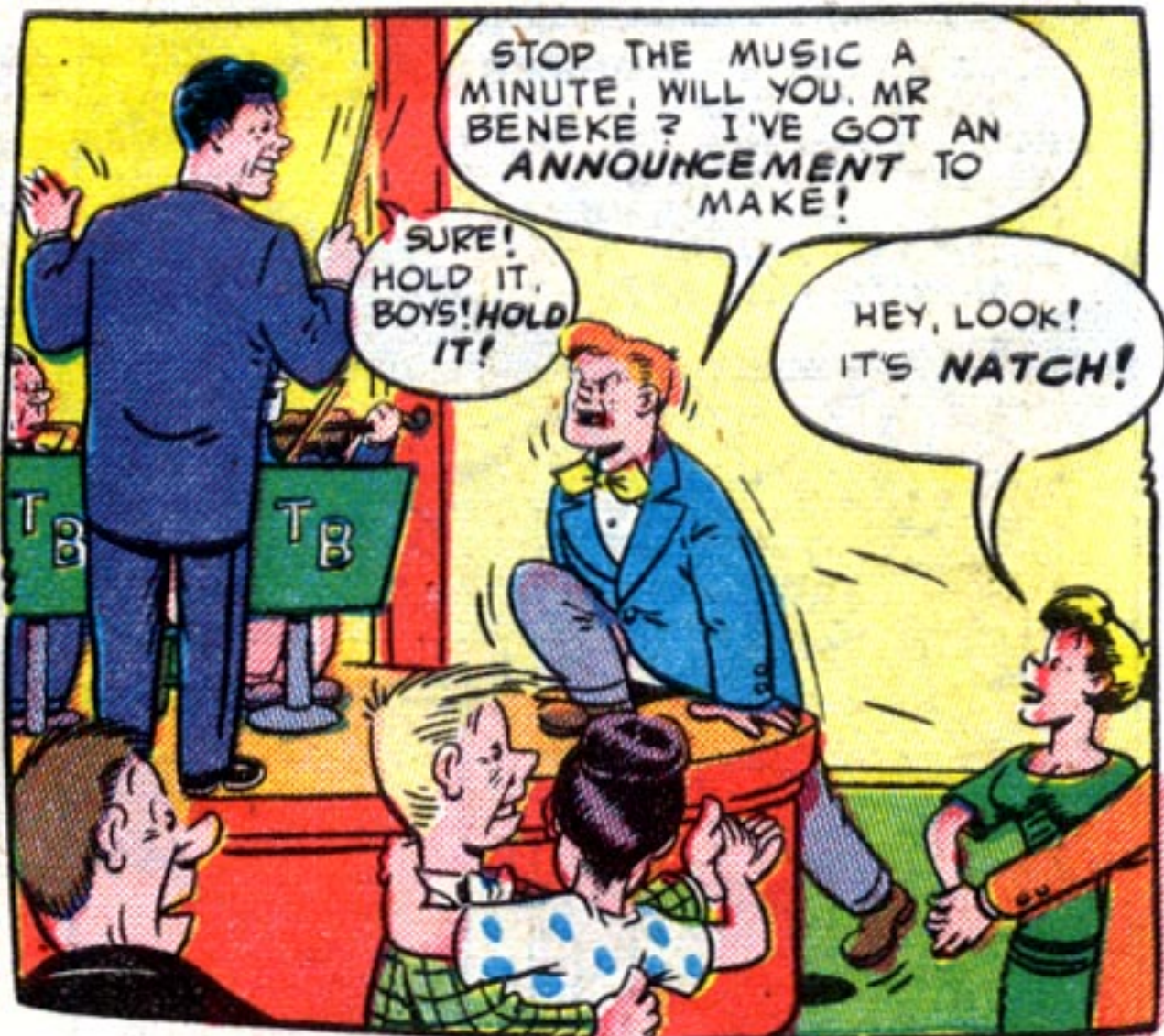














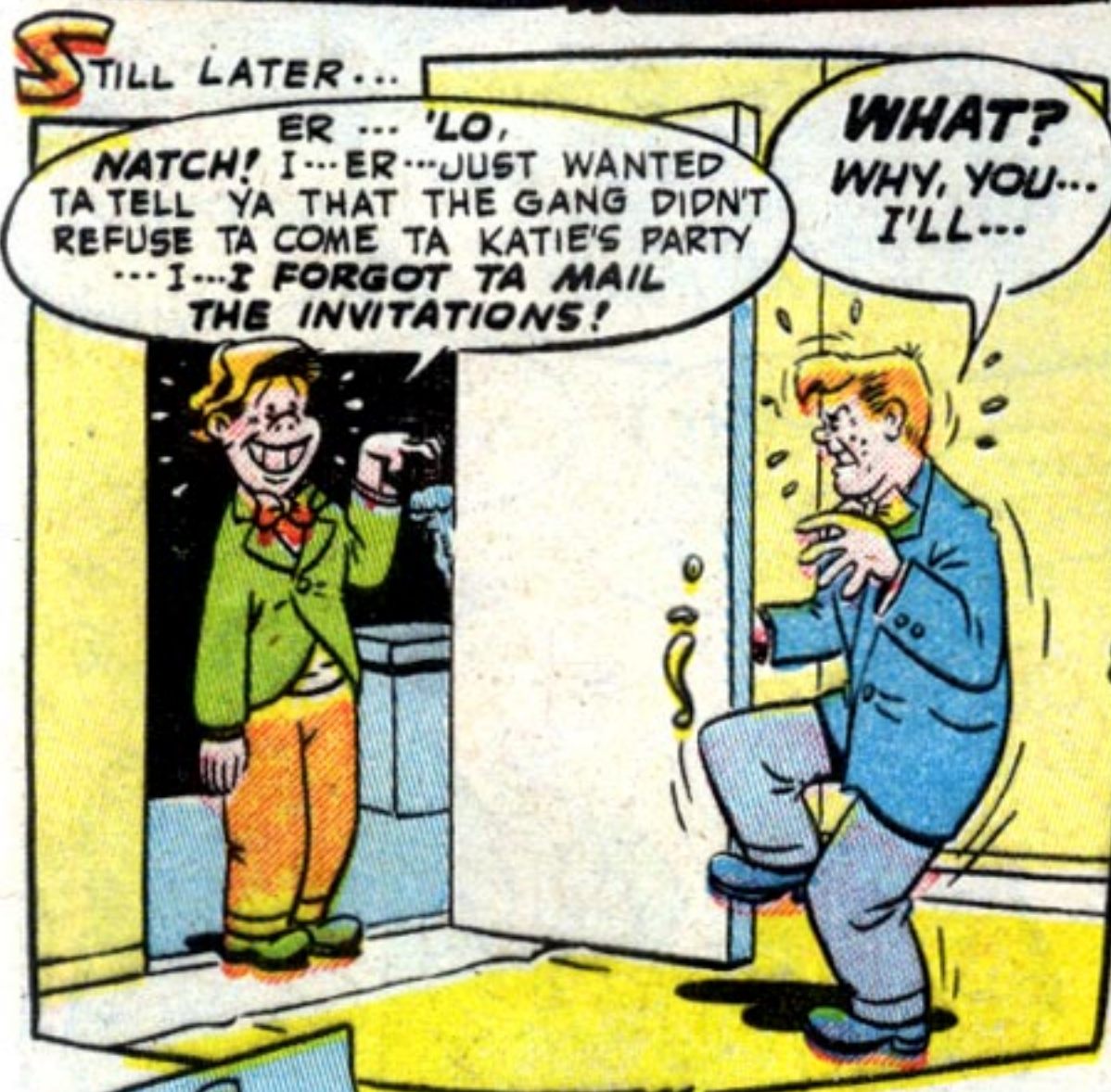
POOR KATIE! NO WONDER NATCH WAS MAD! ... THIS WHOLE THING WAS MY FAULT! I'VE GOTTA EXPLAIN TO THE KIDS! ... MR. BENEKE! STOP THE MUSIC A MINUTE, WILL YA?

MINUTES **L**ATER...

-- SO YA SEE, GANG, THAT'S WHAT HAPPENED! \pm GULP \pm YOURS SCHMOELY WAS THE CAUSE OF IT ALL!

I SUPPOSE I HAVEN'T ANY BUSINESS STICKING MY NOSE IN YOU KIDS' AFFAIRS, BUT I THINK I KNOW A WAY TO STRAIGHTEN EVERYTHING OUT!

POOR KATIE! WE CAN NEVER MAKE IT UP TO HER NOW!



ER ... 'LO, NATCH! I...ER...JUST WANTED TA TELL YA THAT THE GANG DIDN'T REFUSE TA COME TA KATIE'S PARTY ...I...I FORGOT TA MAIL THE INVITATIONS!

WHAT? WHY, YOU... I'LL...



JUST A MINUTE, NATCH! IT WAS AS MUCH YOUR FAULT AS IT WAS HIS! ... YOU DIDN'T PAY FOR HIS MALT, AND HE HAD TO PUT THE INVITATIONS UP FOR SECURITY! ... THE MAIN THING IS, WE'RE ALL HERE NOW...AND WE'VE GOT A SURPRISE FOR KATIE!



GOSH, NATCH, ISN'T THIS SUPER? IT ISN'T EVERY GIRL THAT HAS TEX BENEKE PLAY FOR HER BIRTHDAY PARTY!

YEAH! AND IF IT HADN'T BEEN FOR JACKSON AND ME, IT'D NEVER HAVE HAPPENED!

SHALL WE DANCE, JACKSON?

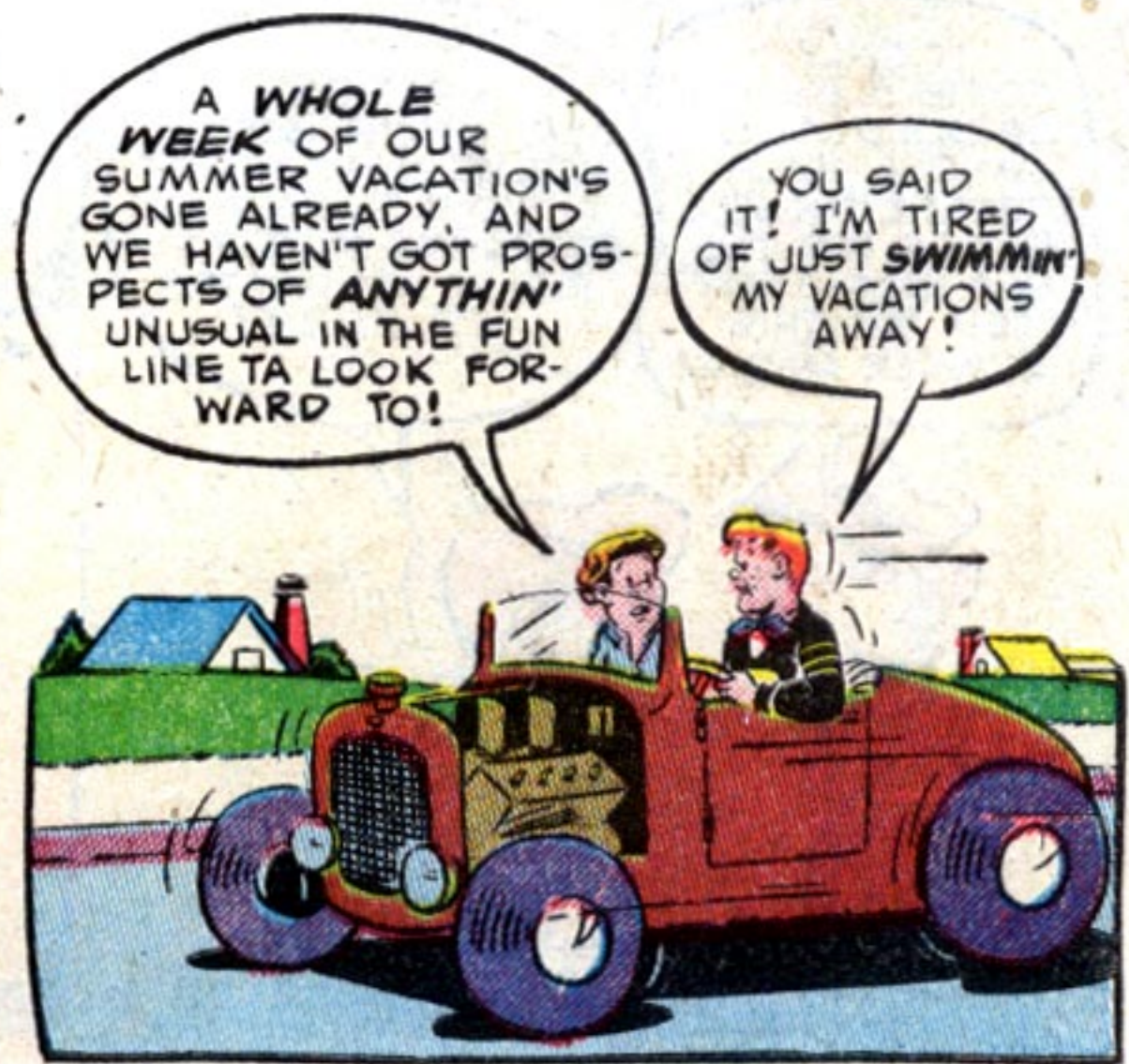
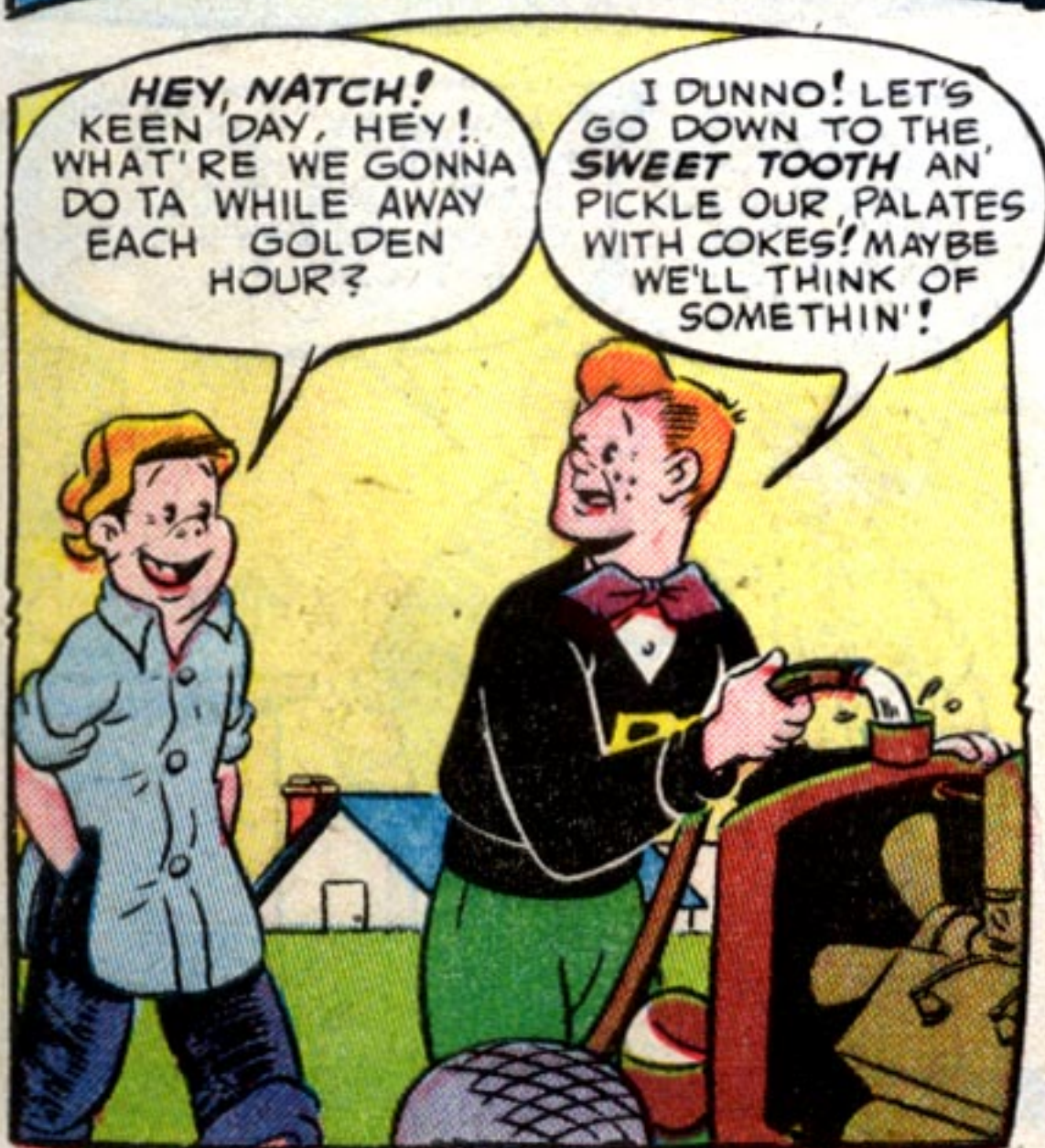
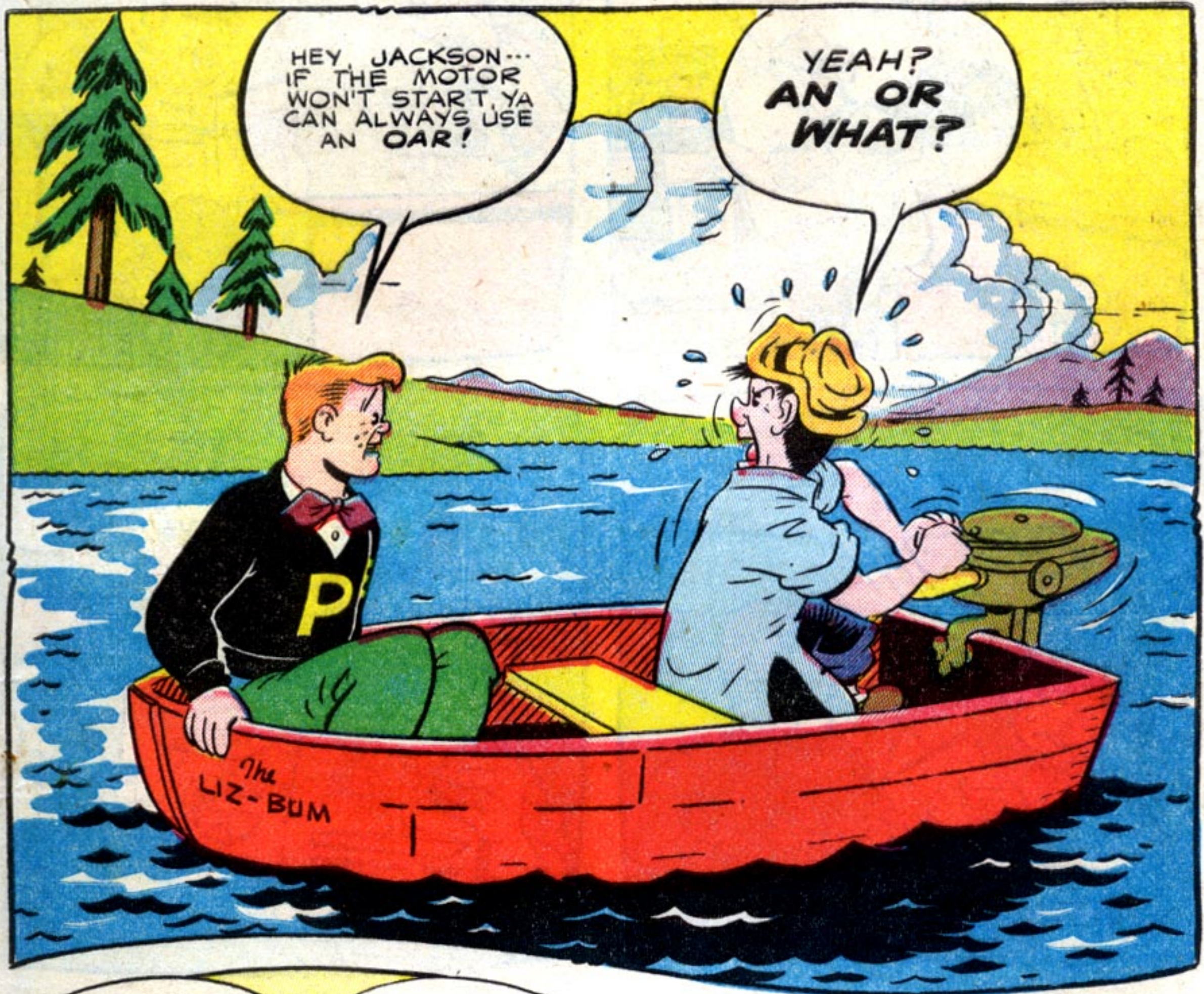
EDGAR! ... WAKE UP!

WHADDEYA TRYIN' TA DO... SPOIL MY FUN?

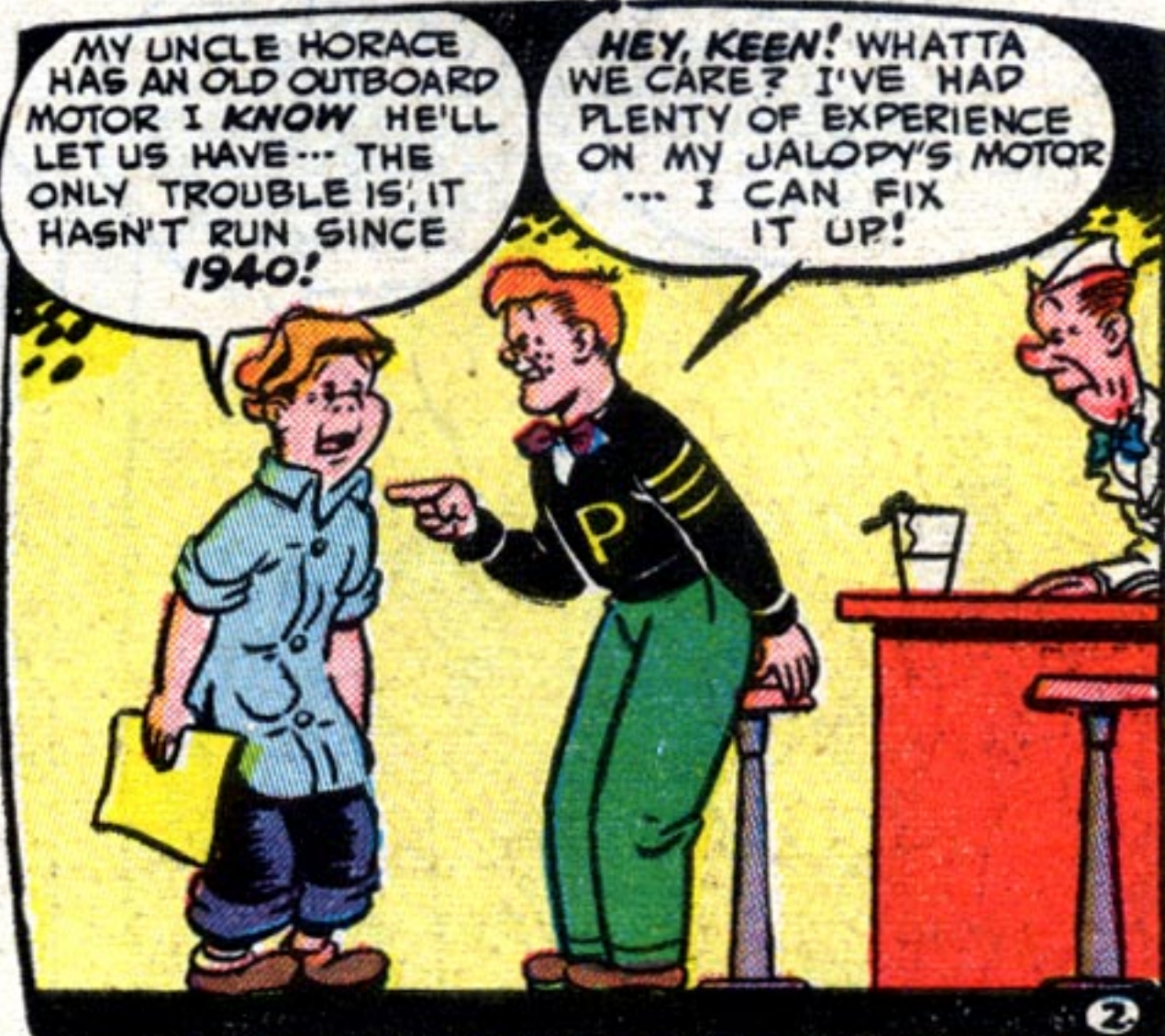
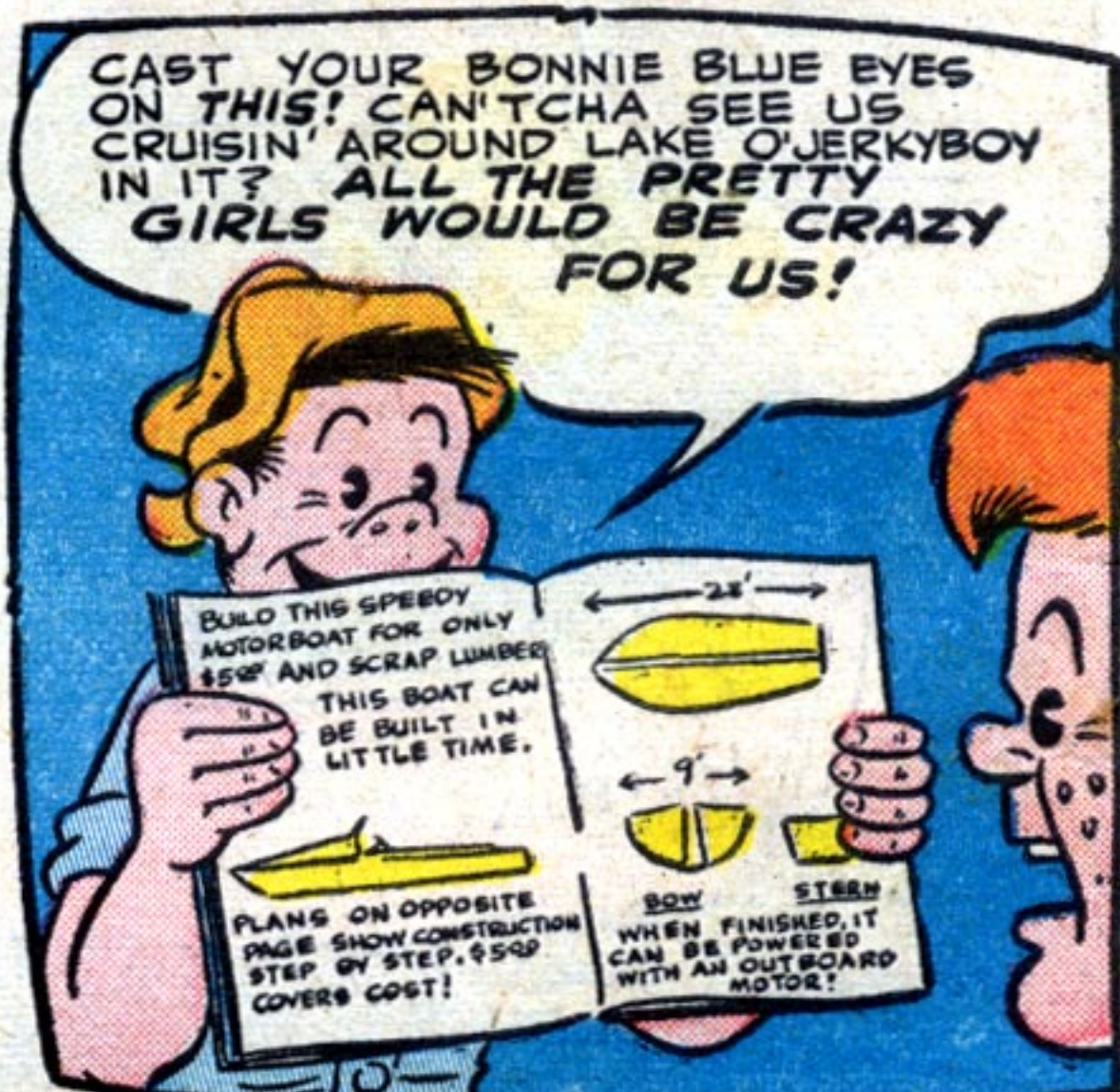
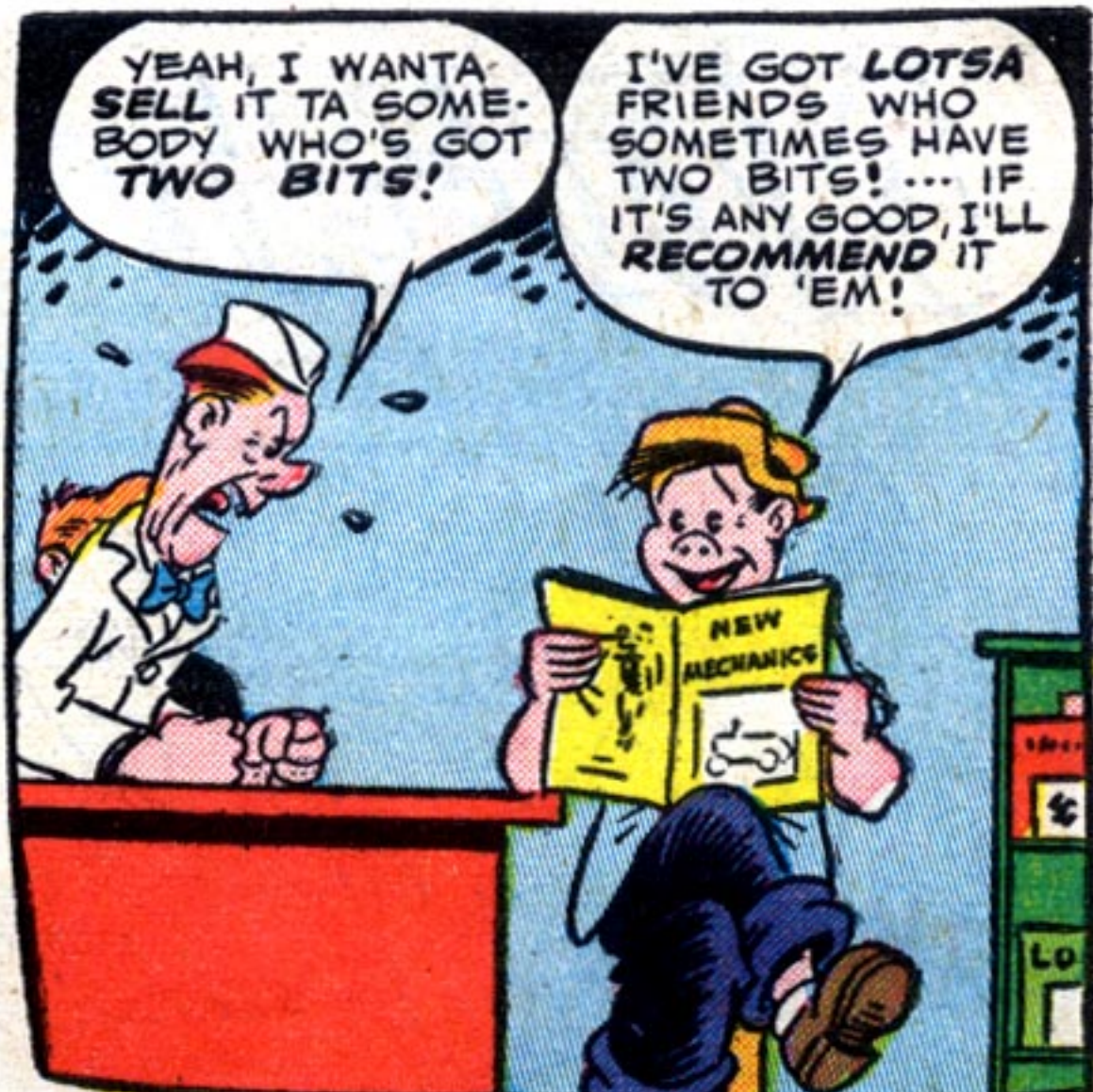
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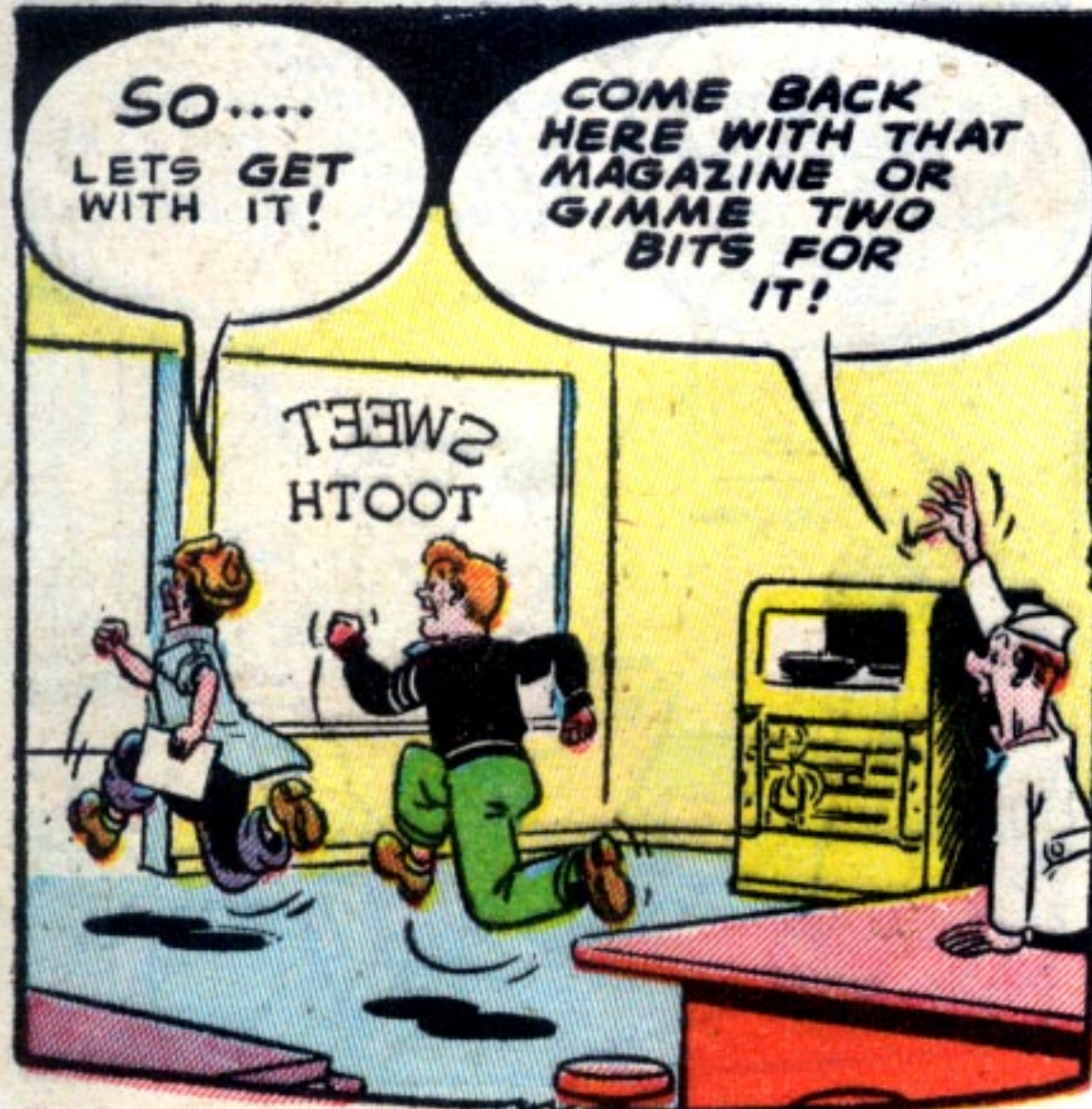
Natch and Jackson

in
"SUMMER DAZE!"



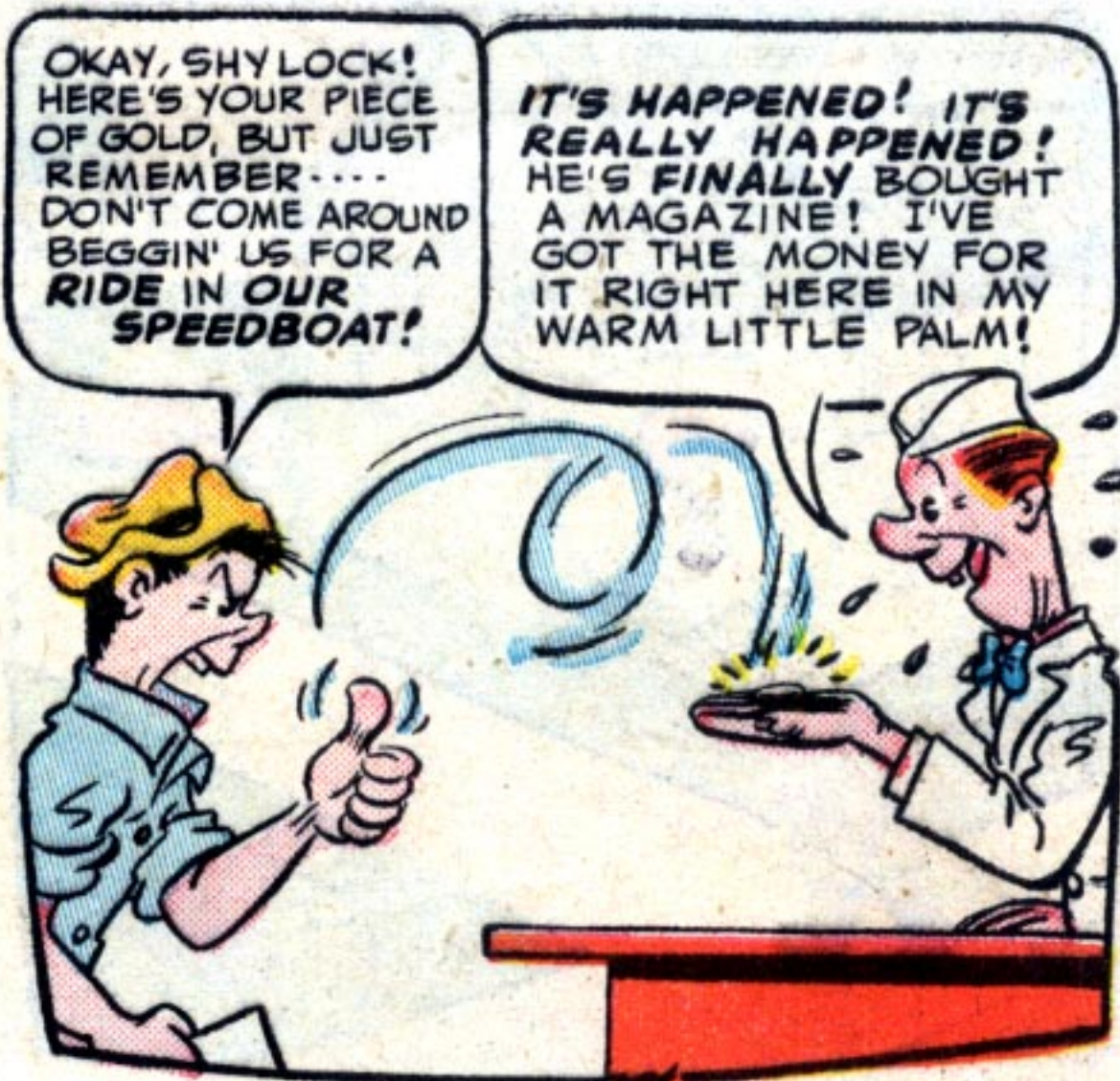
A FEW MINUTES LATER...





SO....
LETS GET
WITH IT!

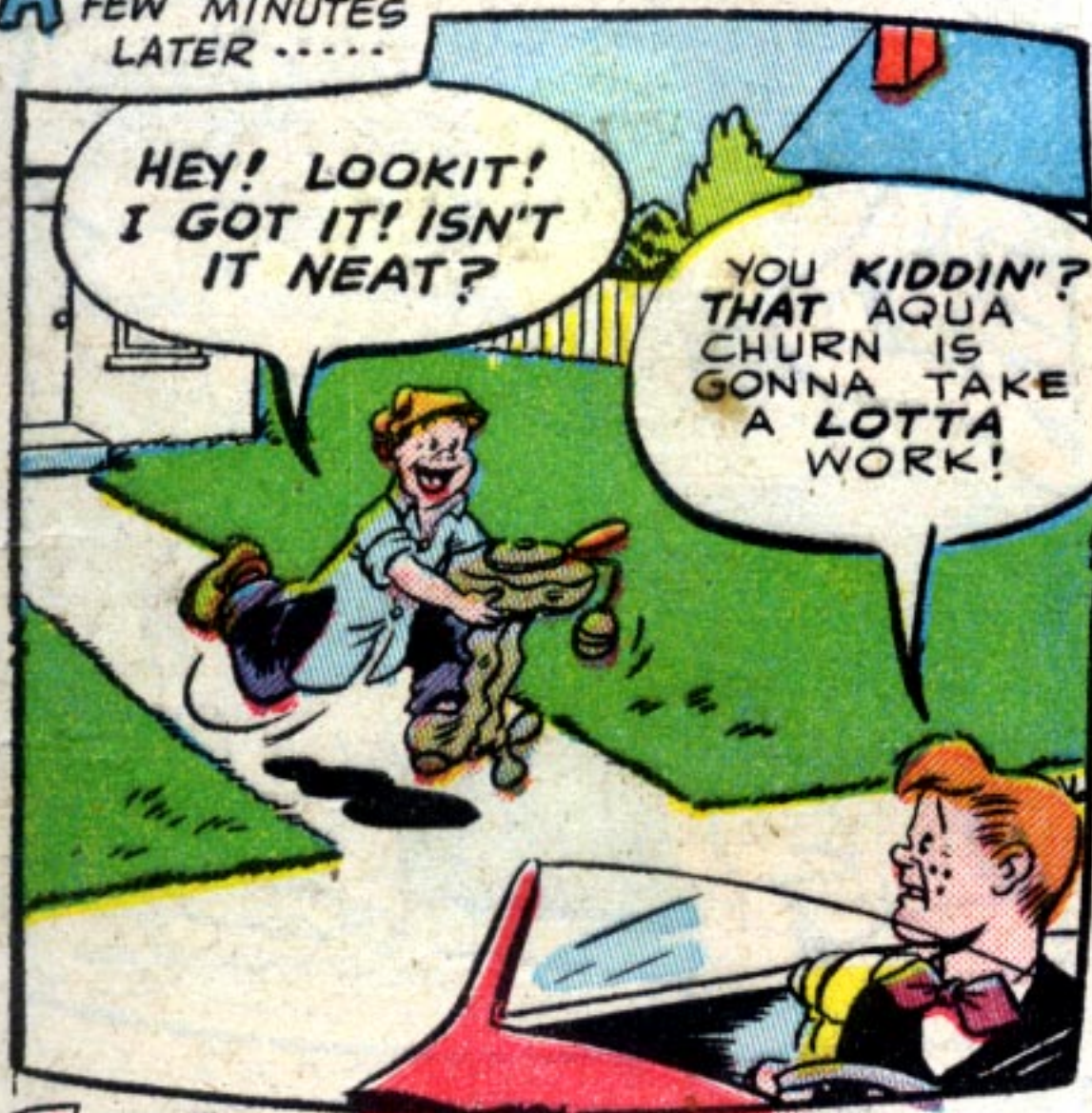
COME BACK
HERE WITH THAT
MAGAZINE OR
GIMME TWO
BITS FOR
IT!



OKAY, SHY LOCK!
HERE'S YOUR PIECE
OF GOLD, BUT JUST
REMEMBER....
DON'T COME AROUND
BEGGIN' US FOR A
RIDE IN OUR
SPEEDBOAT!

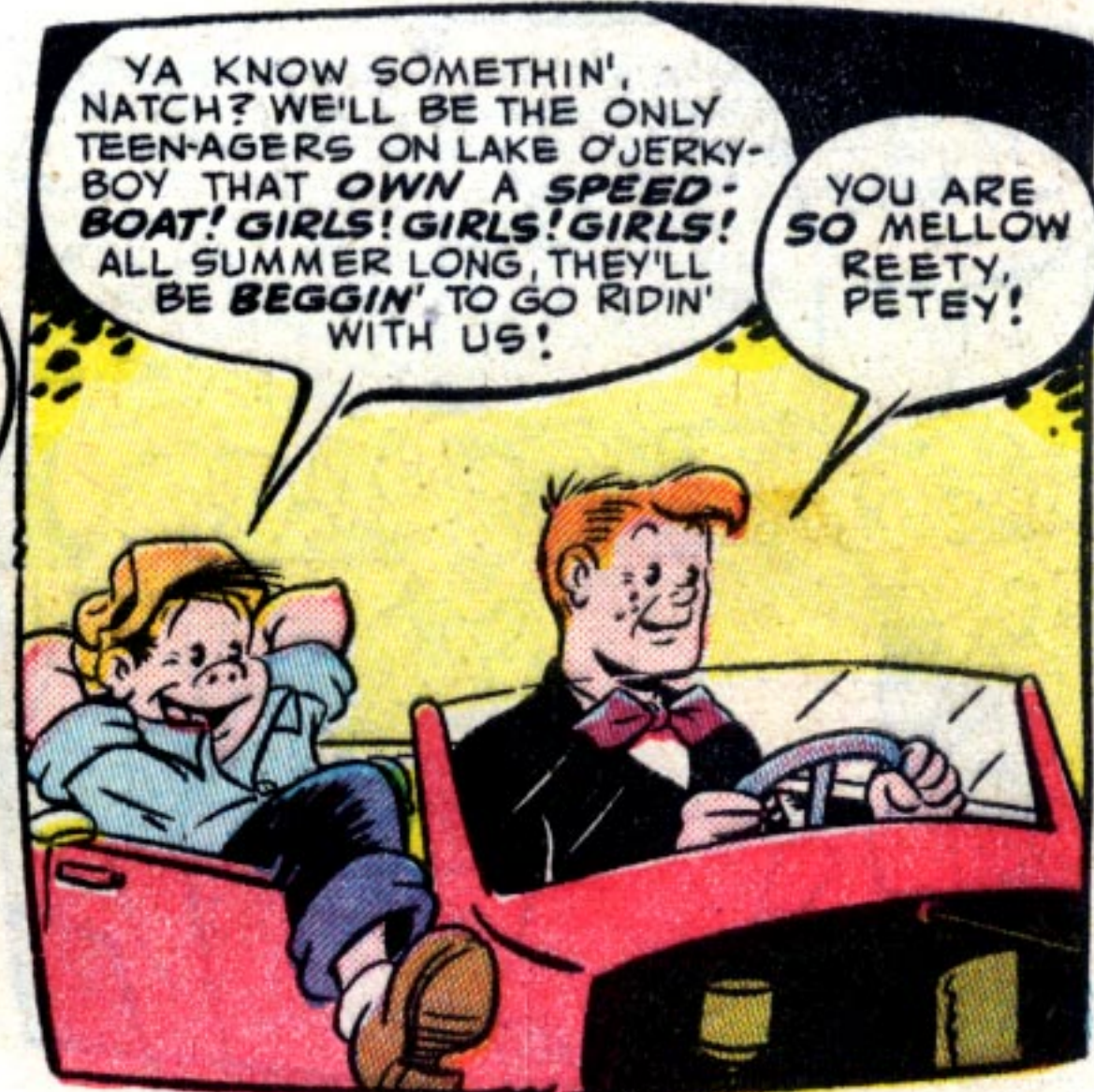
IT'S HAPPENED! IT'S
REALLY HAPPENED!
HE'S FINALLY BOUGHT
A MAGAZINE! I'VE
GOT THE MONEY FOR
IT RIGHT HERE IN MY
WARM LITTLE PALM!

A FEW MINUTES
LATER



HEY! LOOKIT!
I GOT IT! ISN'T
IT NEAT?

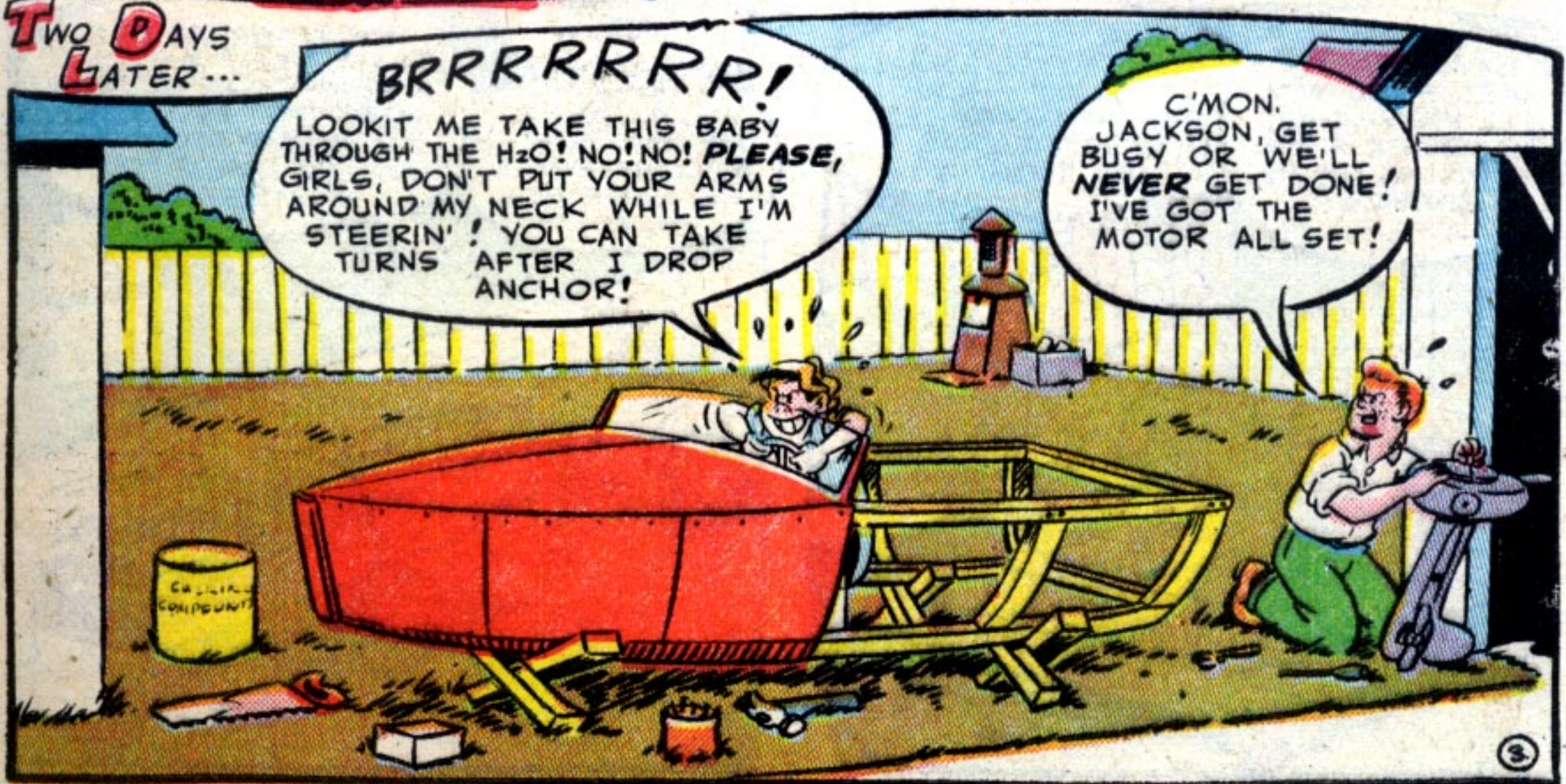
YOU KIDDIN'?
THAT AQUA
CHURN IS
GONNA TAKE
A LOTTA
WORK!



YA KNOW SOMETHIN',
NATCH? WE'LL BE THE ONLY
TEEN-AGERS ON LAKE O'JERKY-
BOY THAT OWN A **SPEED-
BOAT!** GIRLS! GIRLS! GIRLS!
ALL SUMMER LONG, THEY'LL
BE **BEGGIN'** TO GO RIDIN'
WITH US!

YOU ARE
SO MELLOW
REETY,
PETEY!

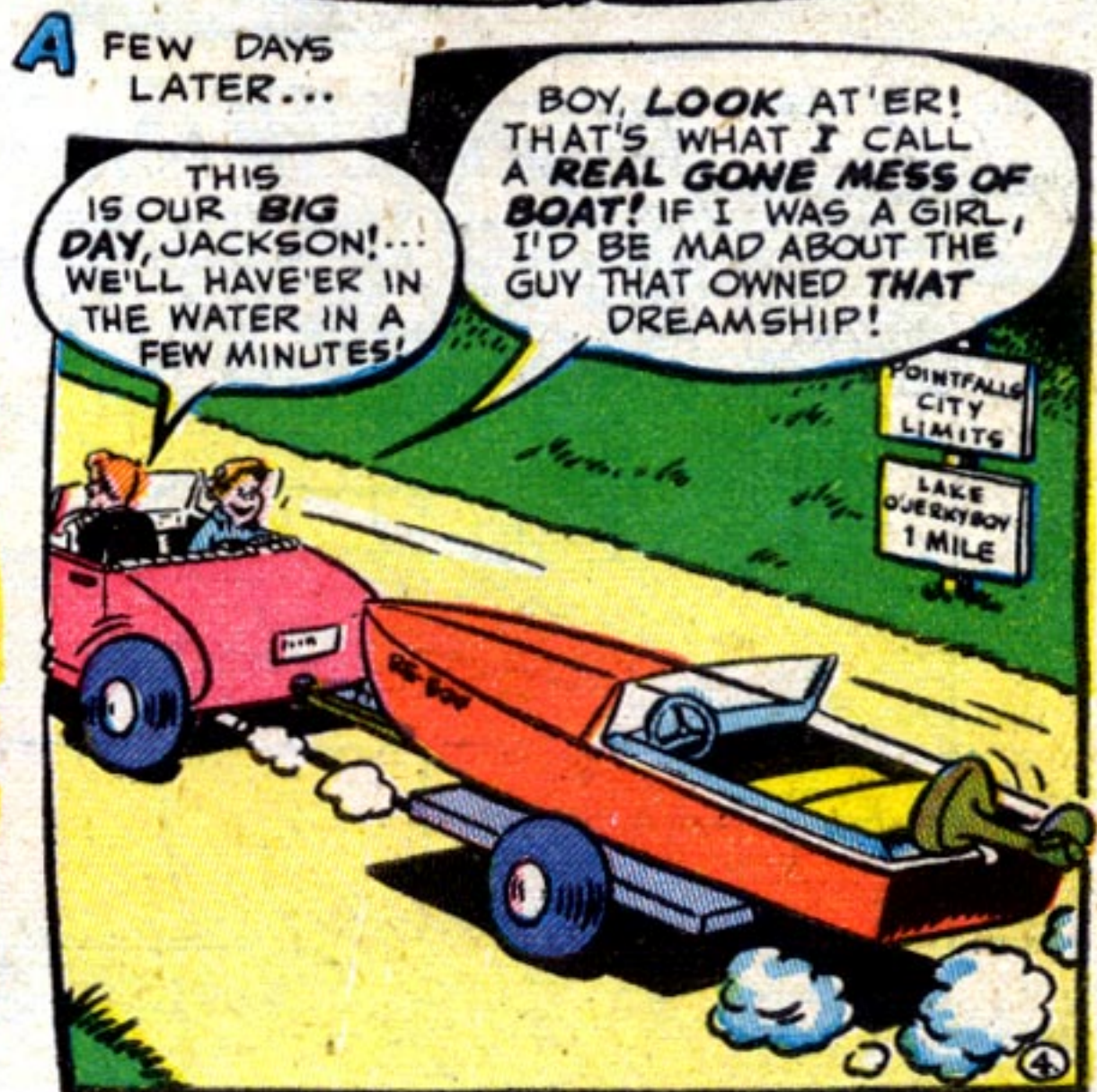
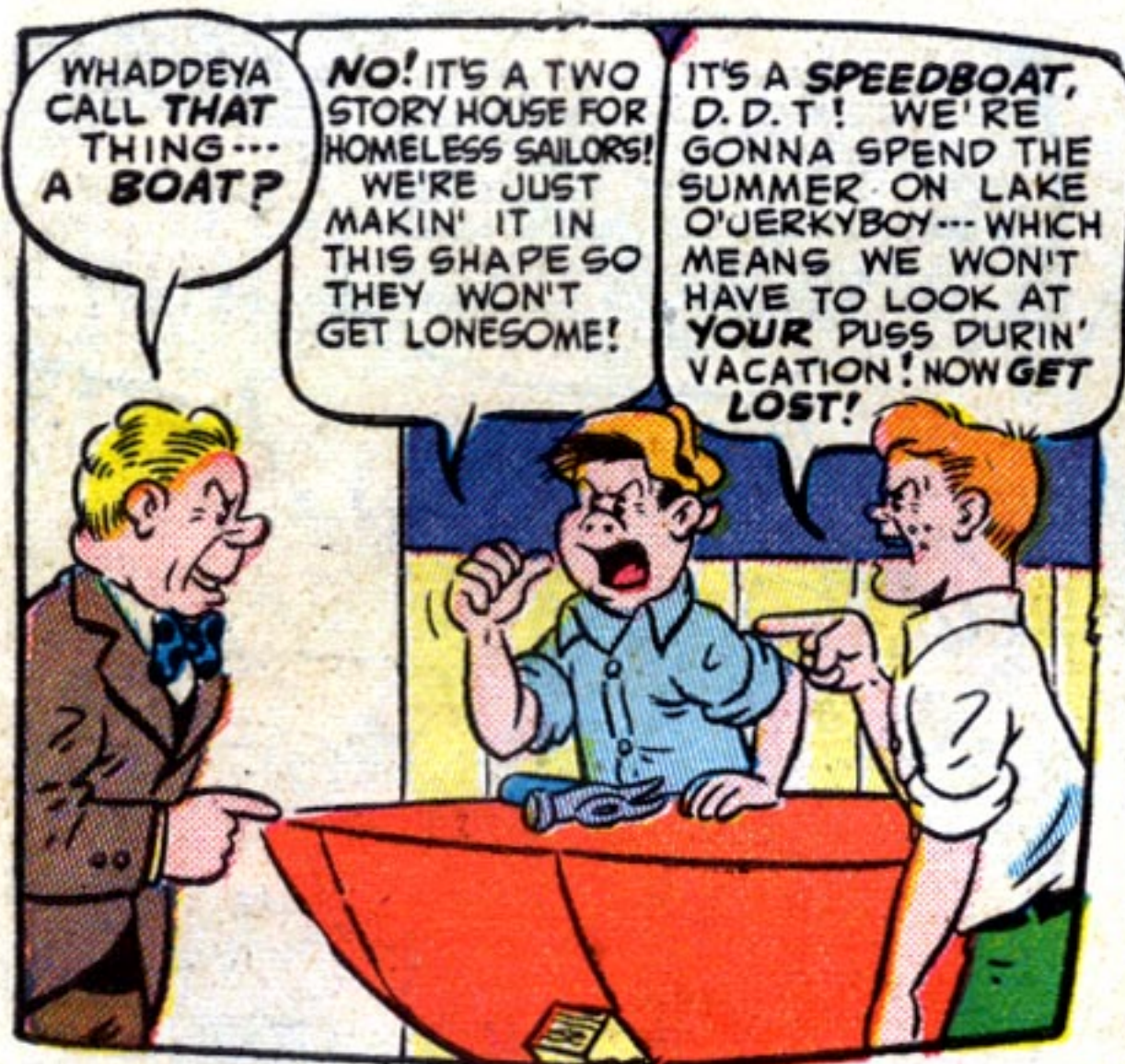
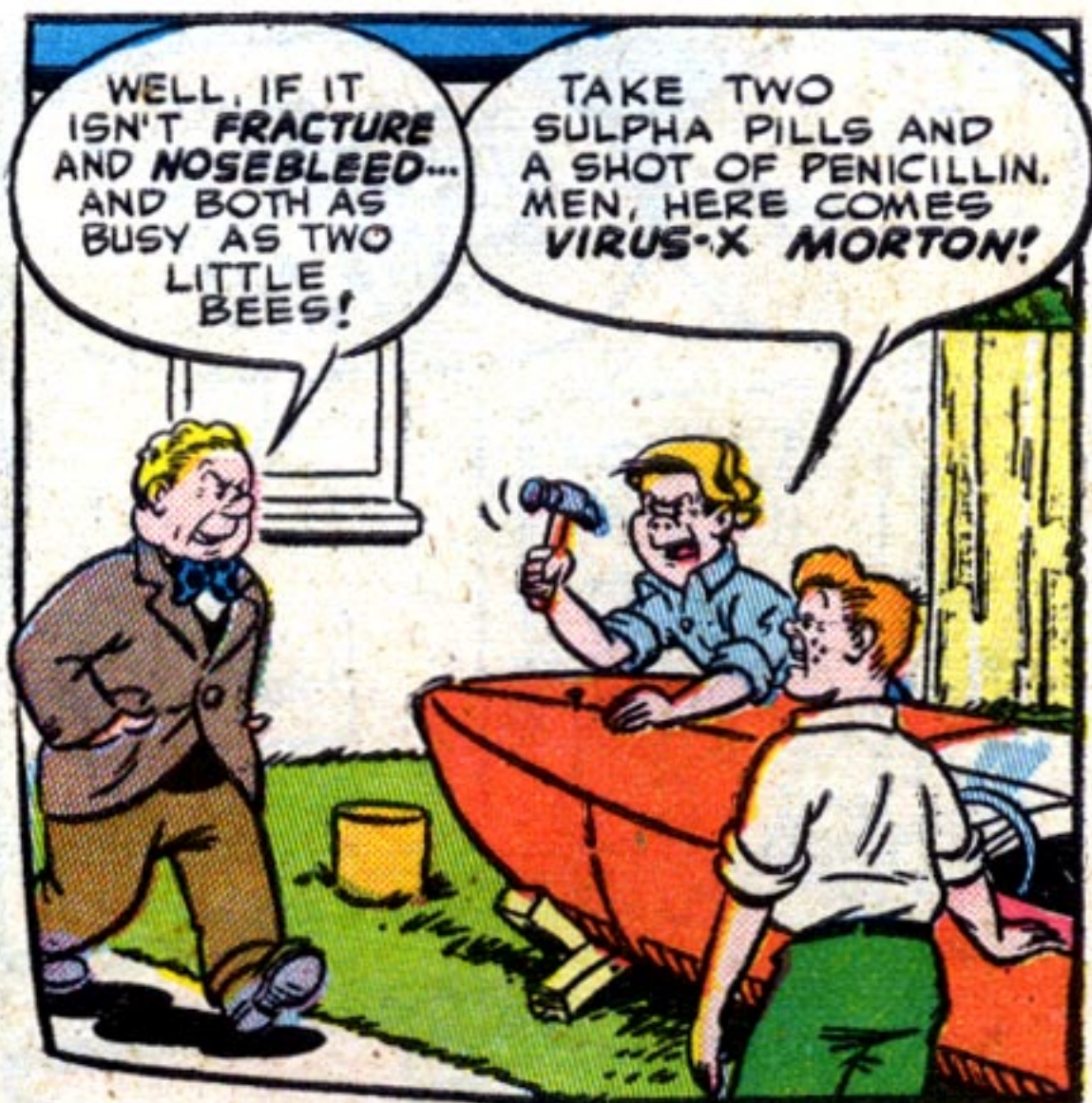
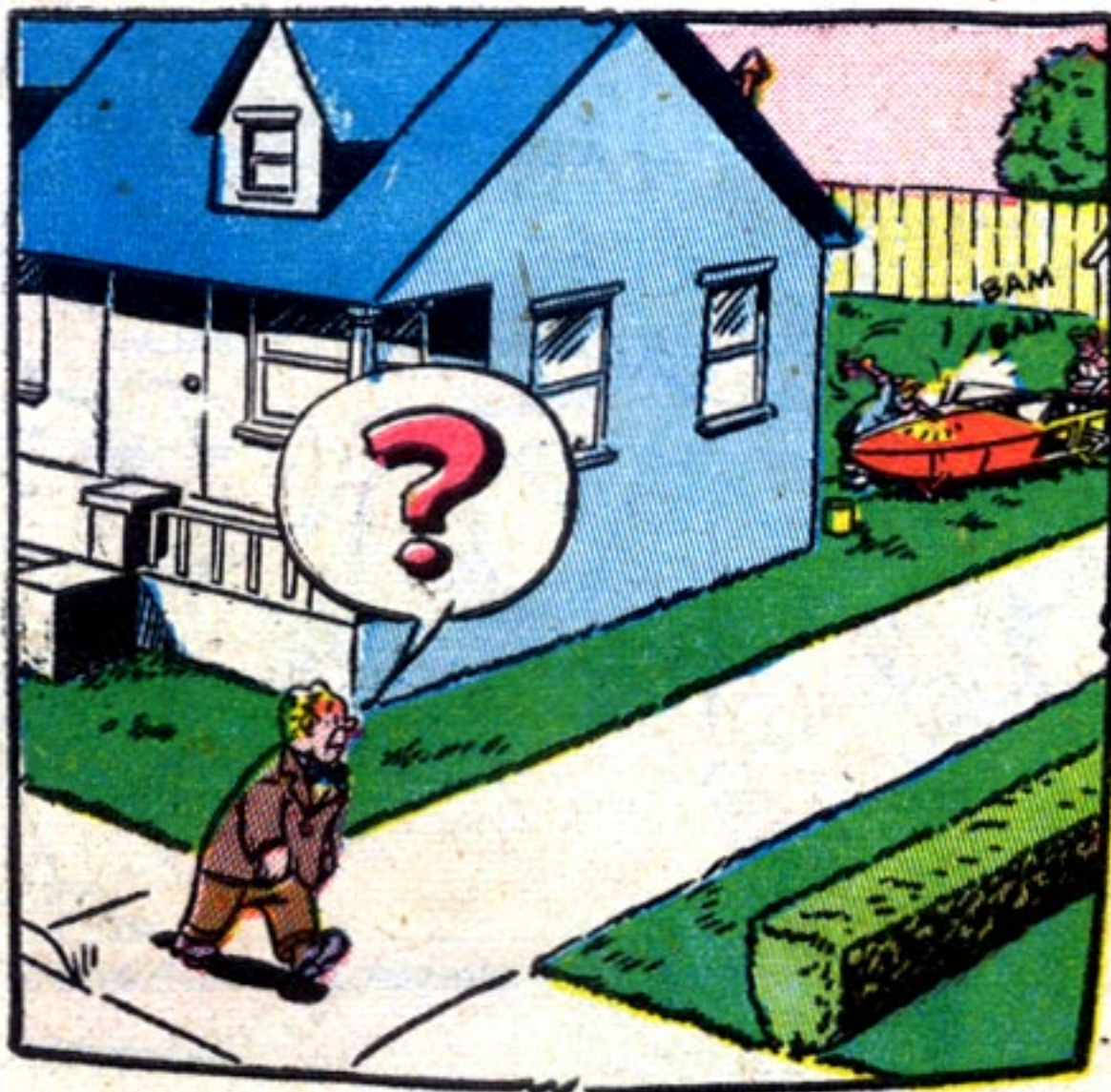
TWO DAYS
LATER...

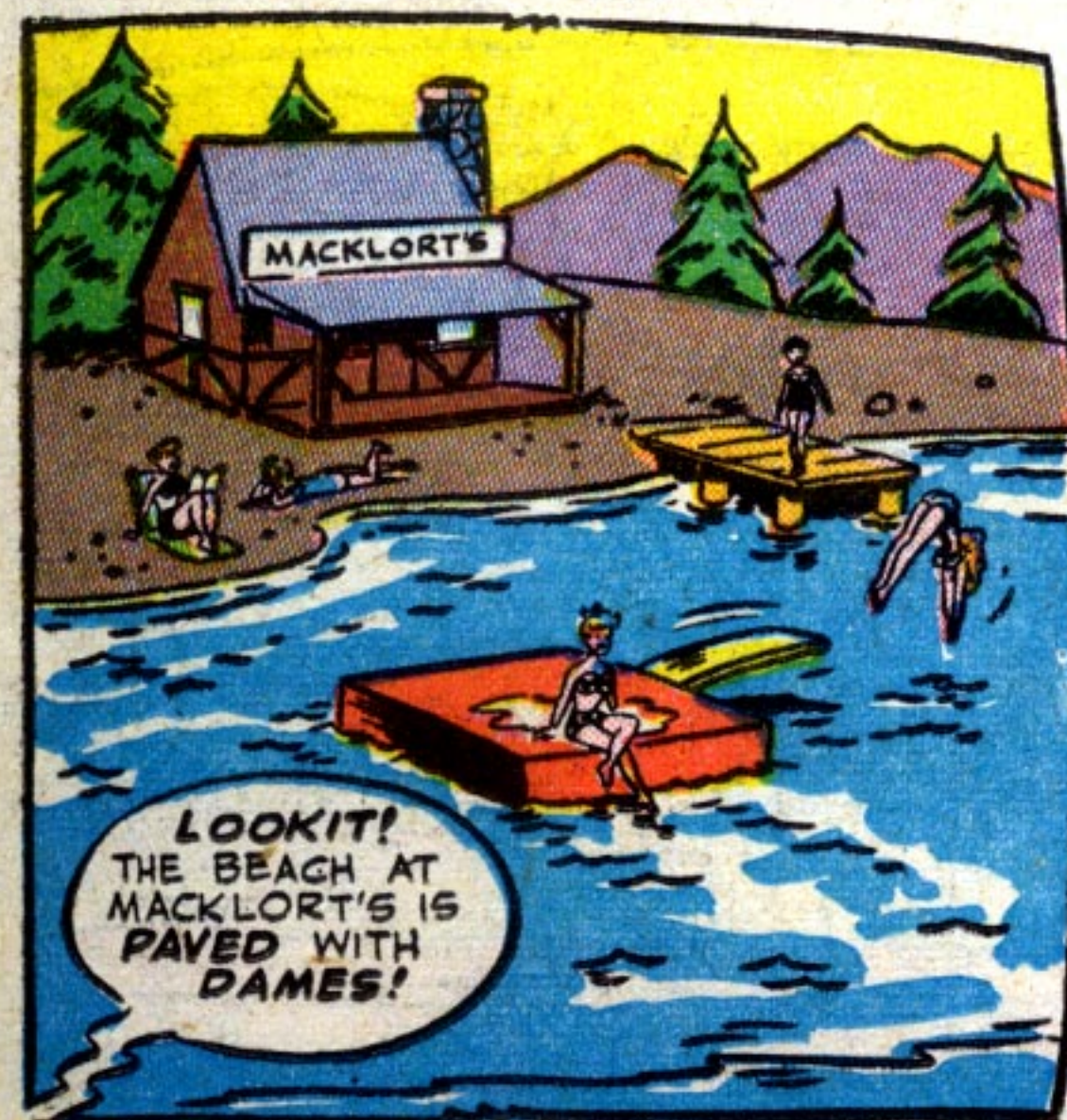
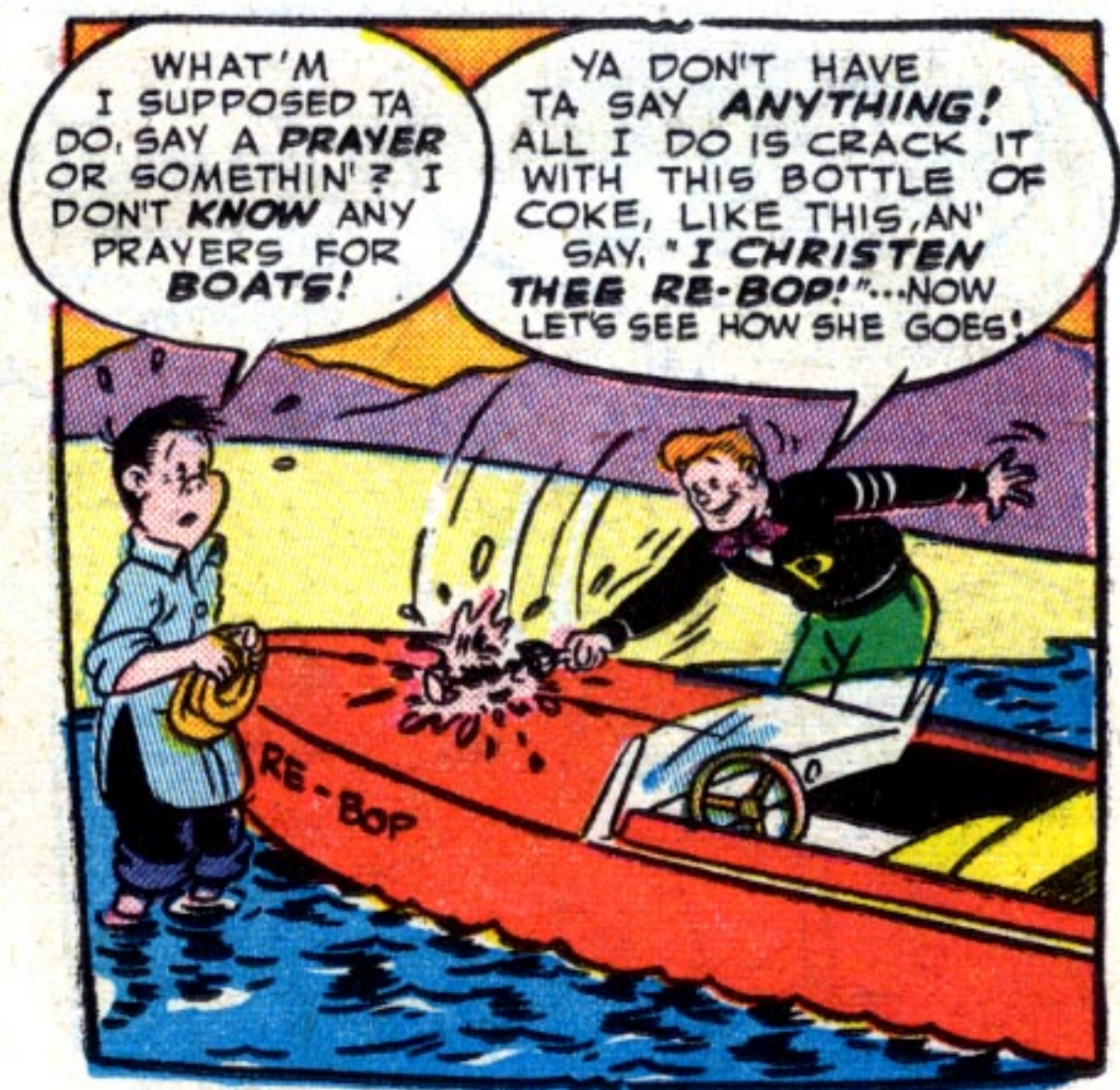


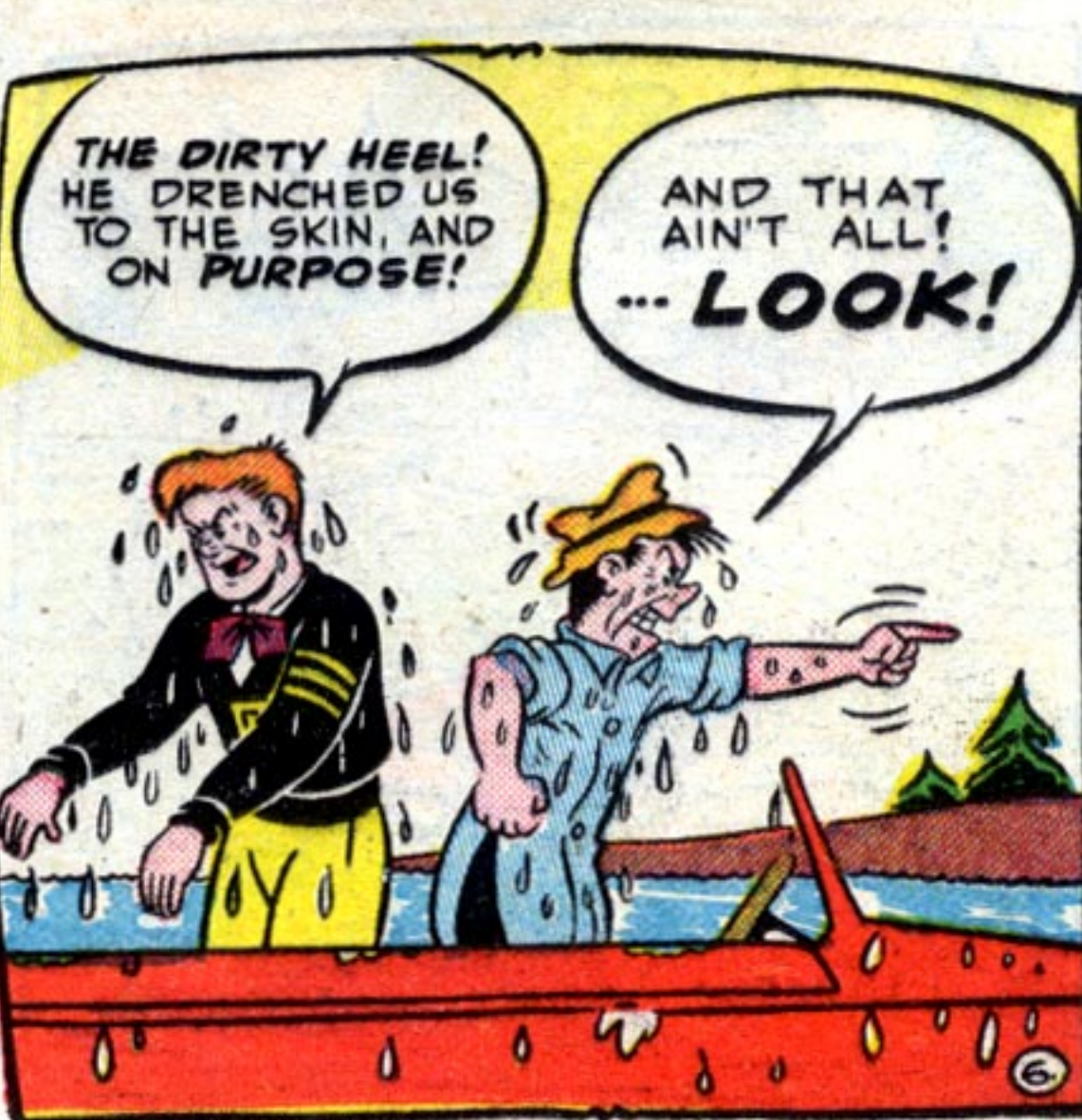
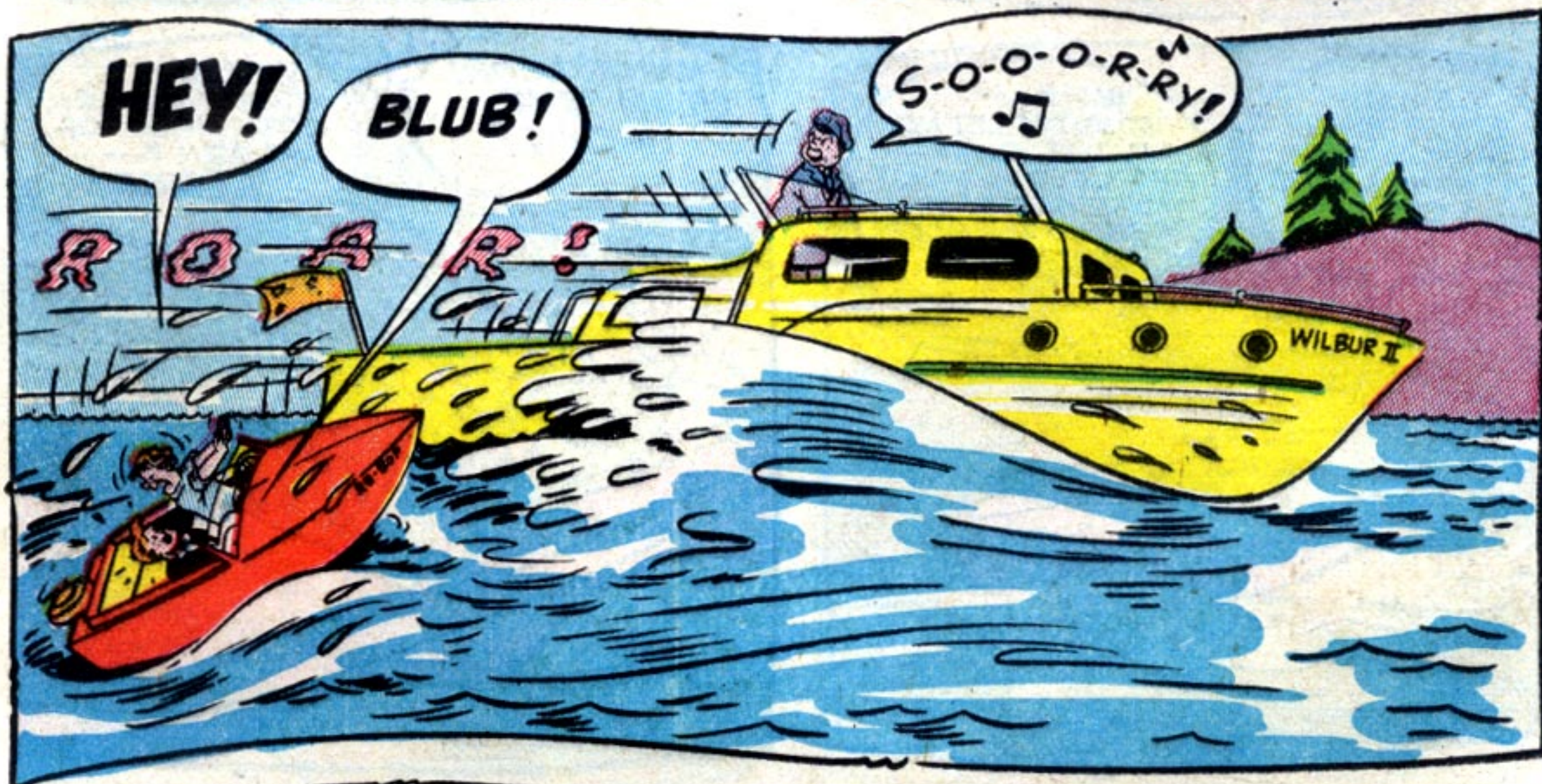
BRRRRRRRR!

LOOKIT ME TAKE THIS BABY
THROUGH THE H₂O! NO! NO! **PLEASE,**
GIRLS, DON'T PUT YOUR ARMS
AROUND MY NECK WHILE I'M
STEERIN'! YOU CAN TAKE
TURNS AFTER I DROP
ANCHOR!

C'MON.
JACKSON, GET
BUSY OR WE'LL
NEVER GET DONE!
I'VE GOT THE
MOTOR ALL SET!





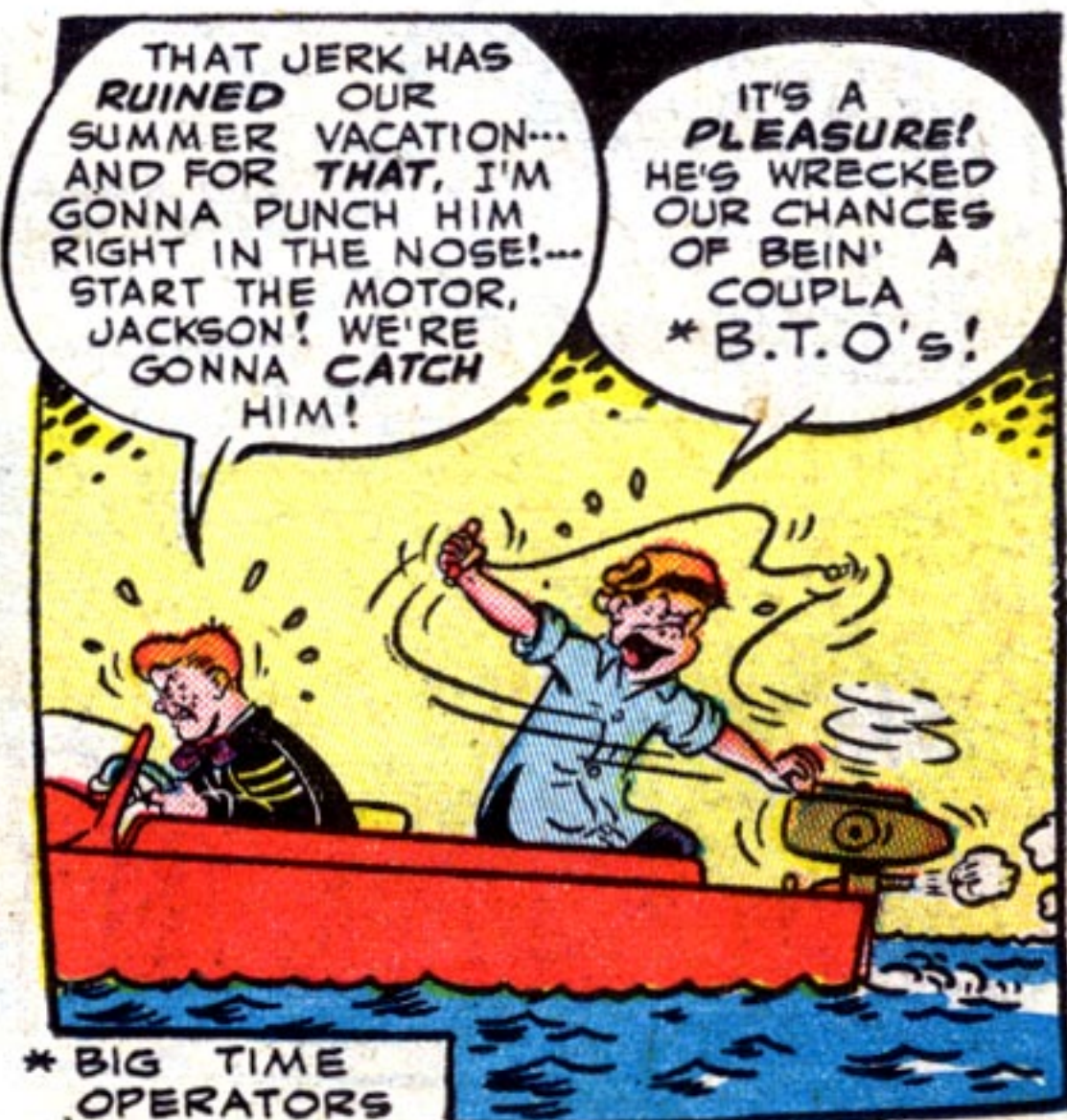




**HE STOLE
OUR GIRLS!**

SURE! THEY'LL NEVER
RIDE IN A BOAT LIKE *OURS*
WHEN THEY CAN RIDE IN
THAT *SUPER* JOB!

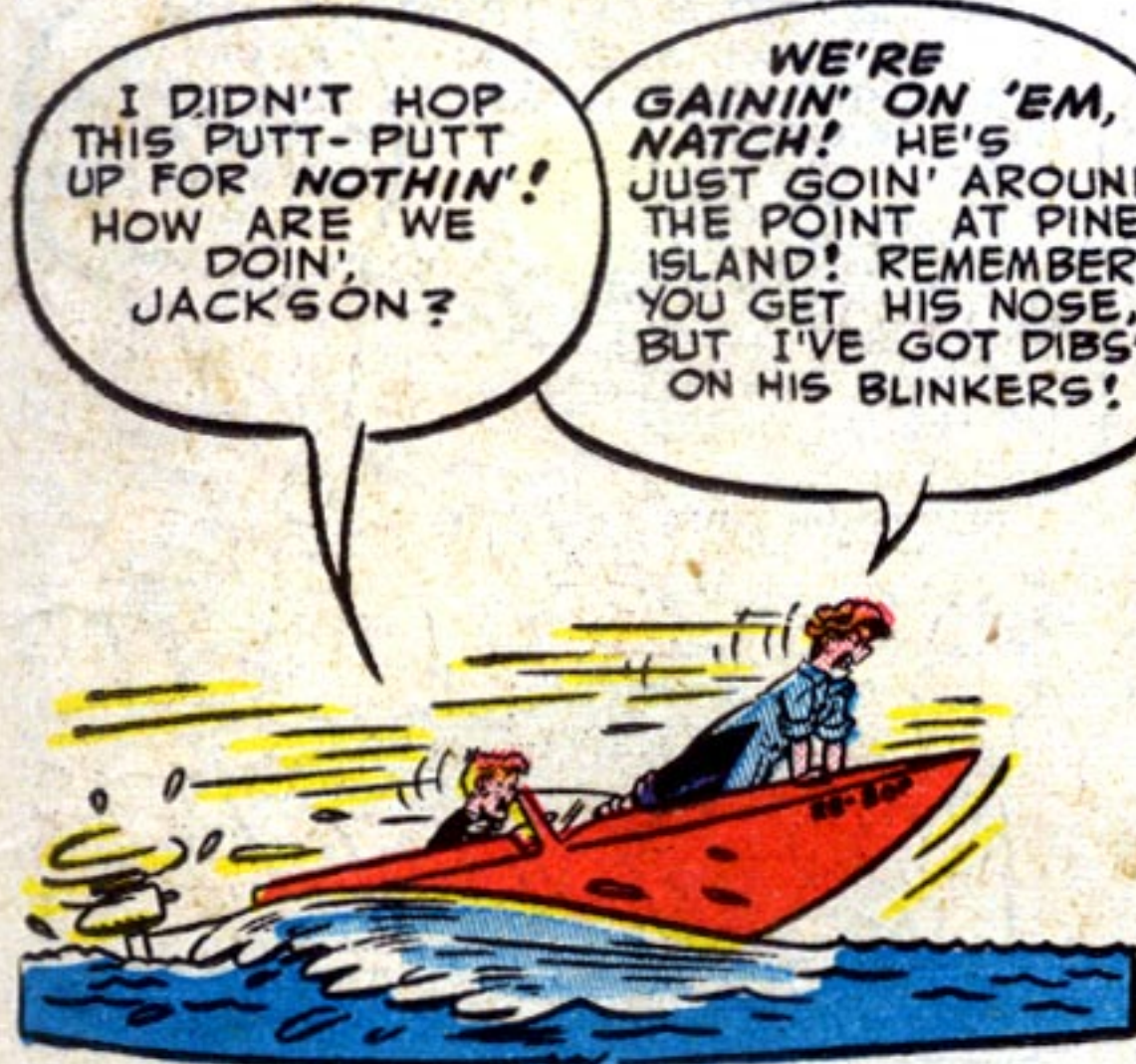
HEY!
WHO'S GONNA
HAVE GIRLS ALL
OVER THEIR
BOAT THIS
SUMMER
NOW?



THAT JERK HAS
RUINED OUR
SUMMER VACATION...
AND FOR **THAT**, I'M
GONNA PUNCH HIM
RIGHT IN THE NOSE!...
START THE MOTOR,
JACKSON! WE'RE
GONNA **CATCH**
HIM!

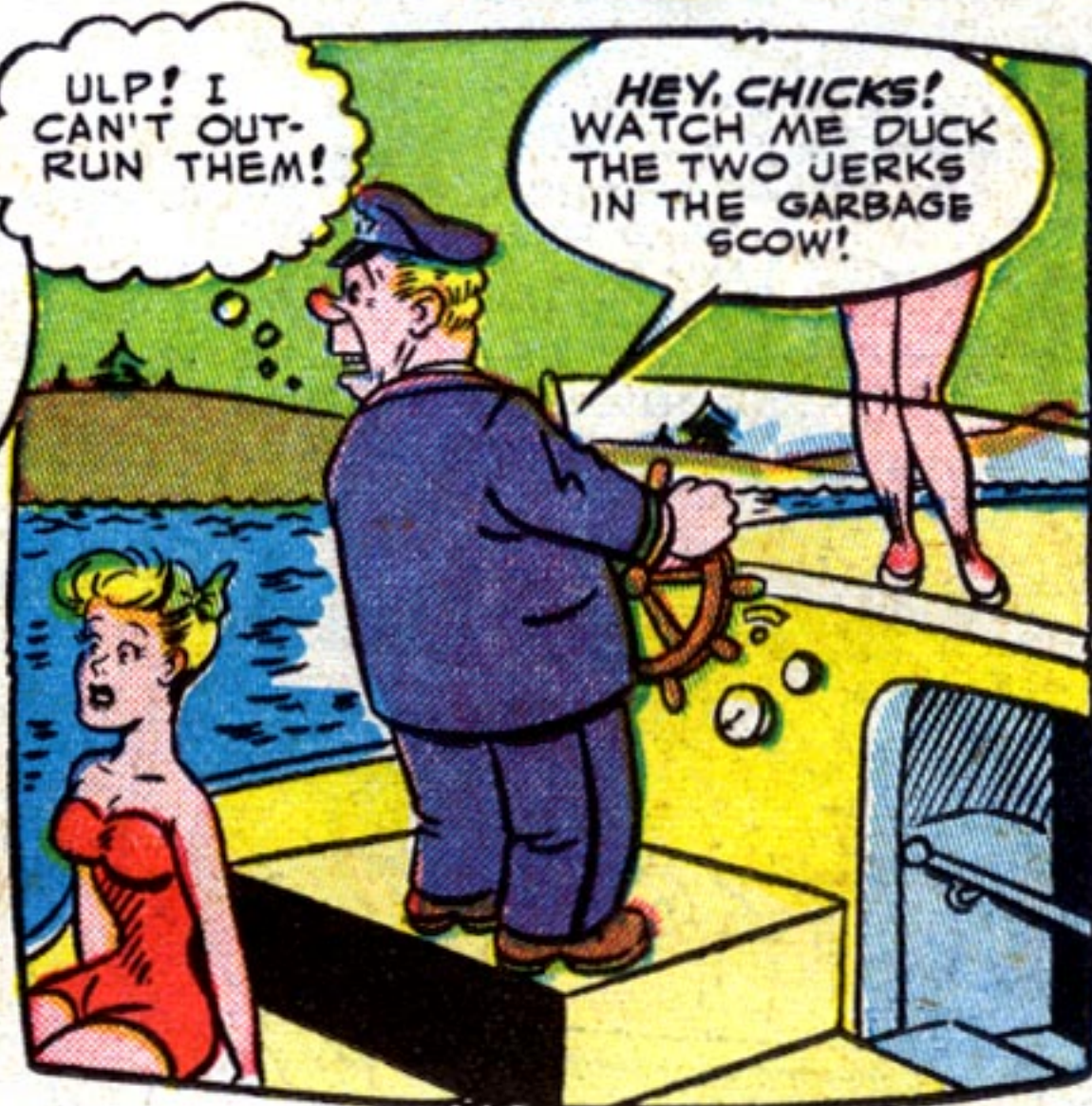
IT'S A
PLEASURE!
HE'S WRECKED
OUR CHANCES
OF BEIN' A
COUPLA
*B.T.O's!

*BIG TIME
OPERATORS



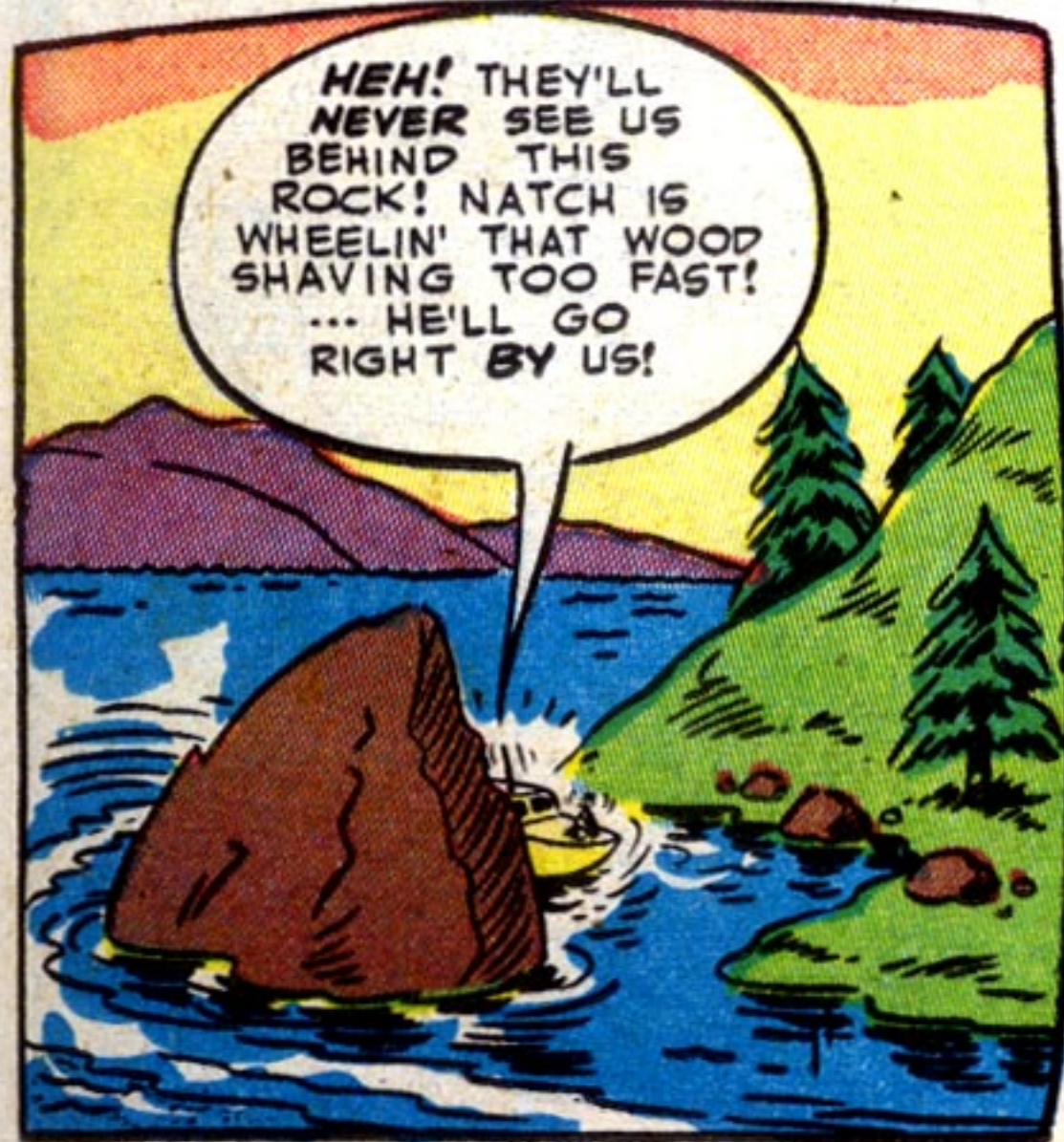
I DIDN'T HOP
THIS PUTT-PUTT
UP FOR **NOTHIN'**!
HOW ARE WE
DOIN',
JACKSON?

**WE'RE
GAININ' ON 'EM,
NATCH!** HE'S
JUST GOIN' AROUND
THE POINT AT PINE
ISLAND! REMEMBER,
YOU GET HIS NOSE,
BUT I'VE GOT DIBS'
ON HIS BLINKERS!

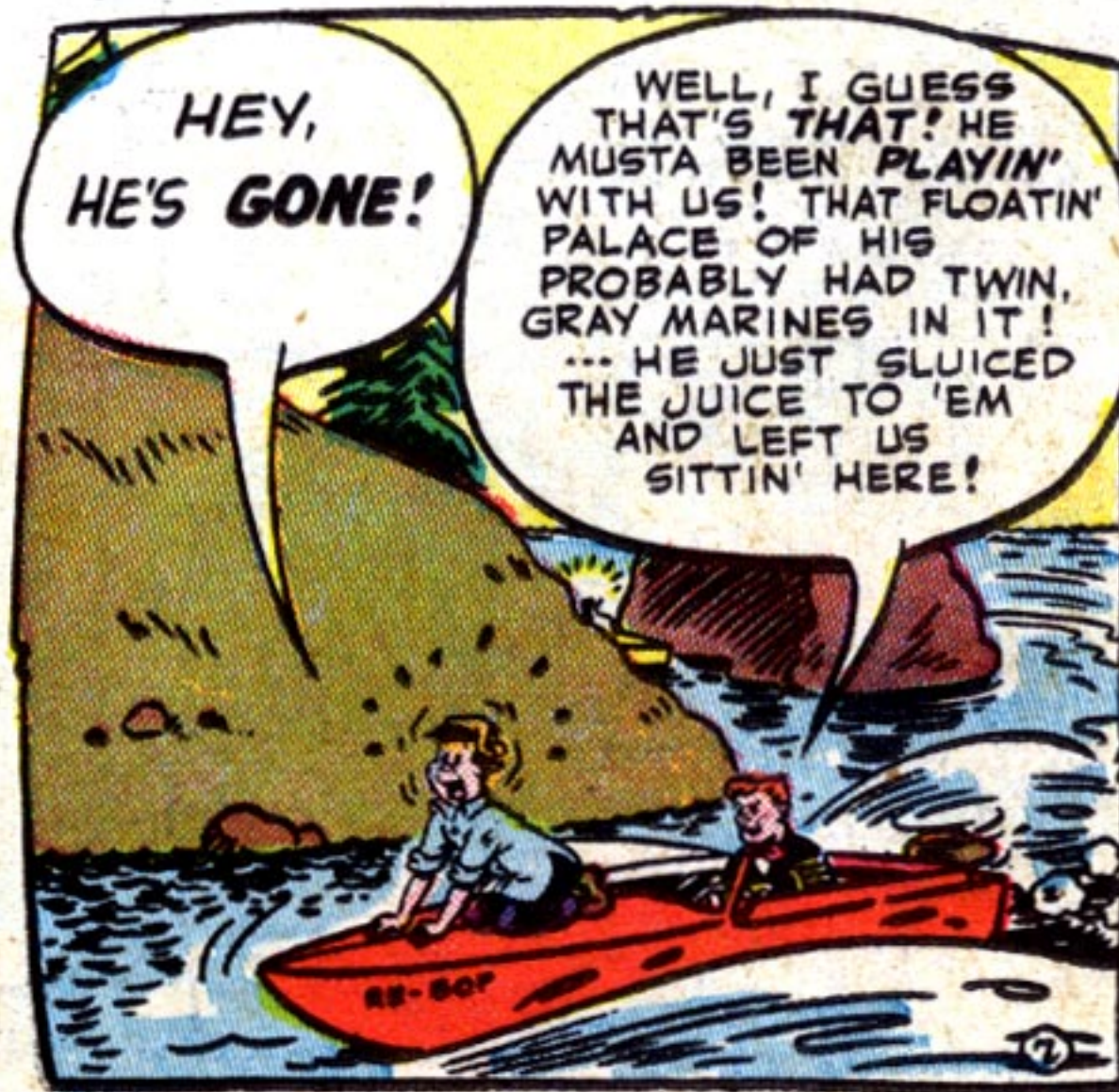


ULP! I
CAN'T OUT-
RUN THEM!

HEY, CHICKS!
WATCH ME DUCK
THE TWO JERKS
IN THE GARBAGE
SCOW!

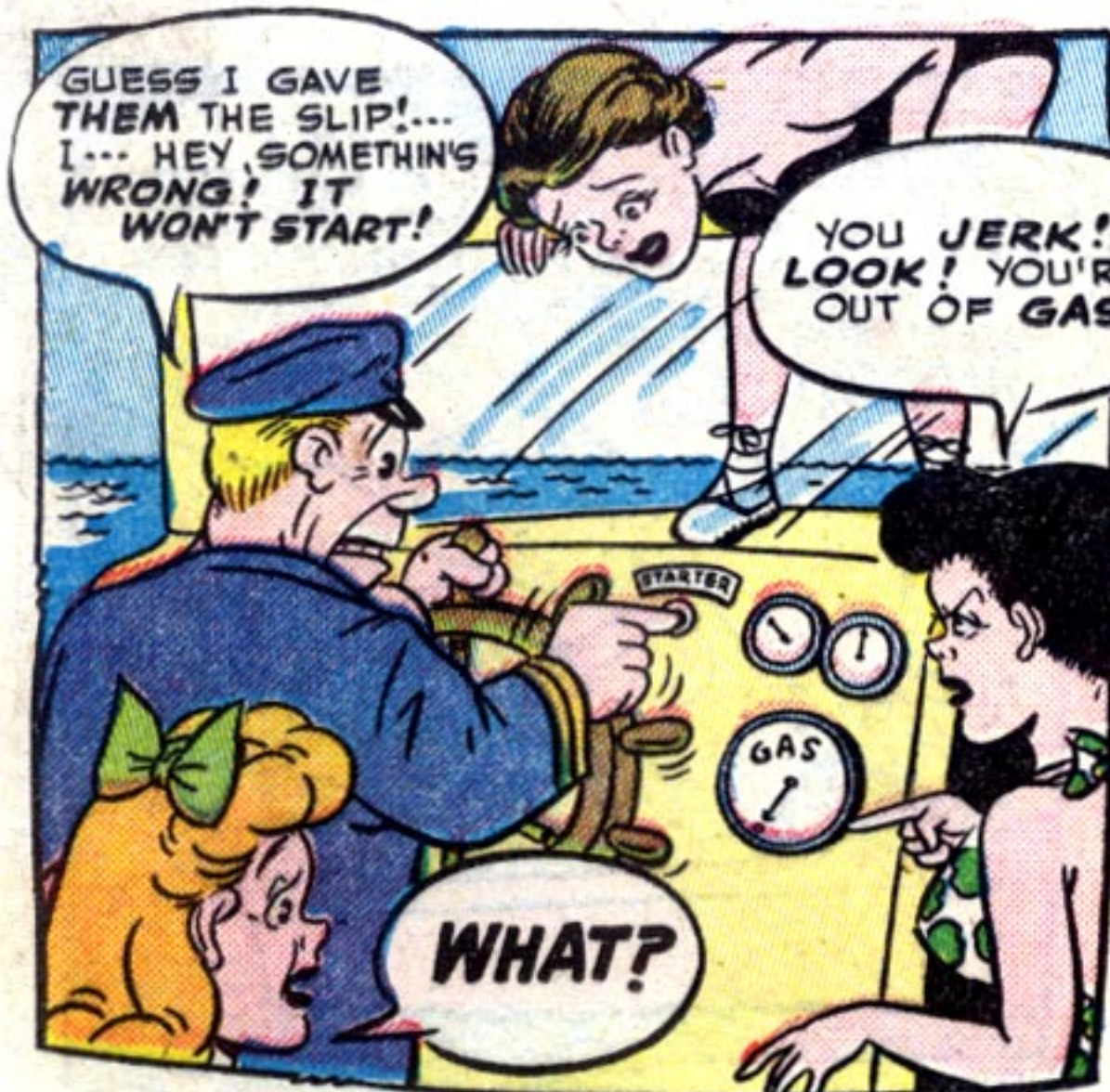


HEH! THEY'LL
NEVER SEE US
BEHIND THIS
ROCK! NATCH IS
WHEELIN' THAT WOOD
SHAVING TOO FAST!
... HE'LL GO
RIGHT **BY** US!

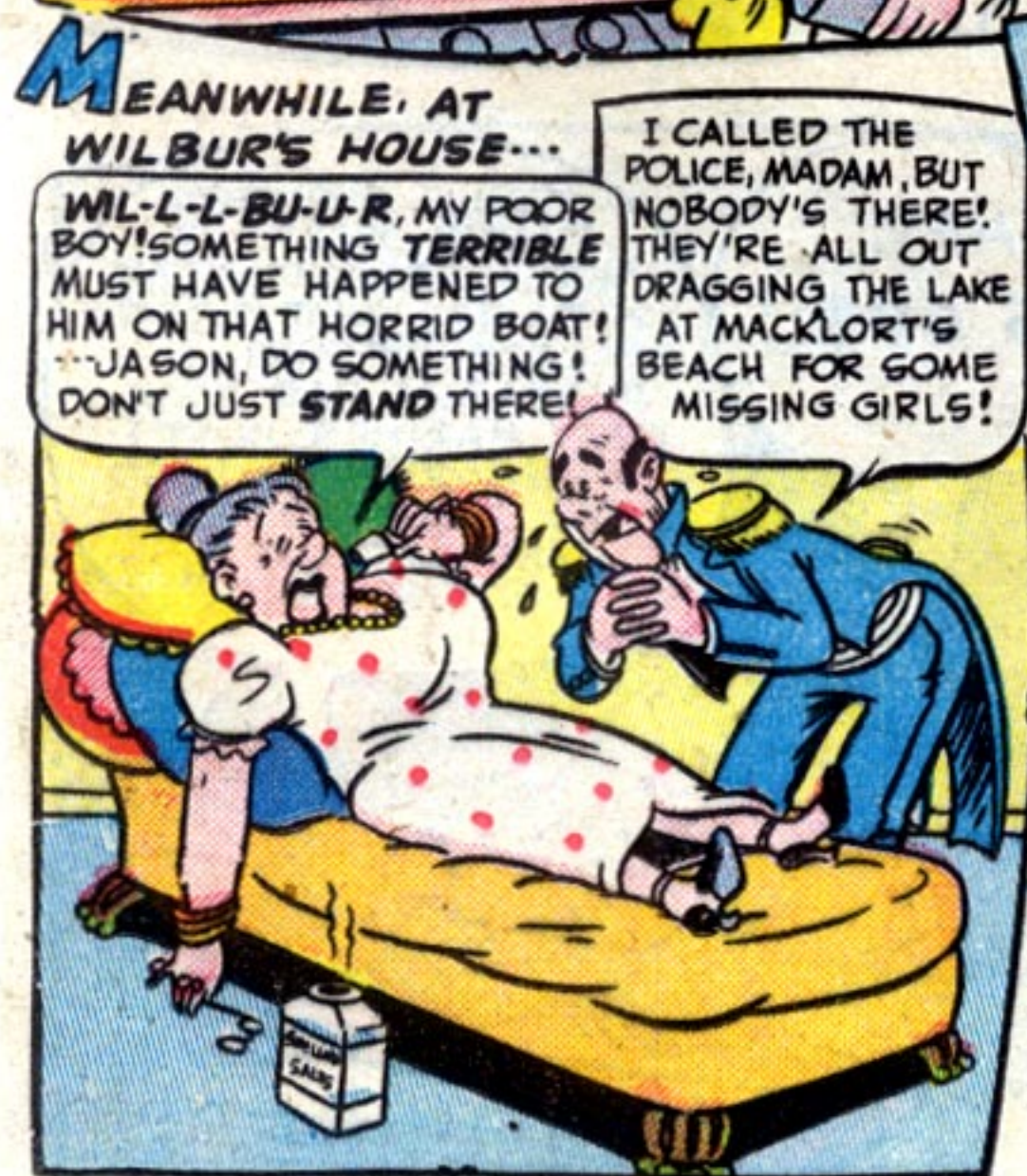
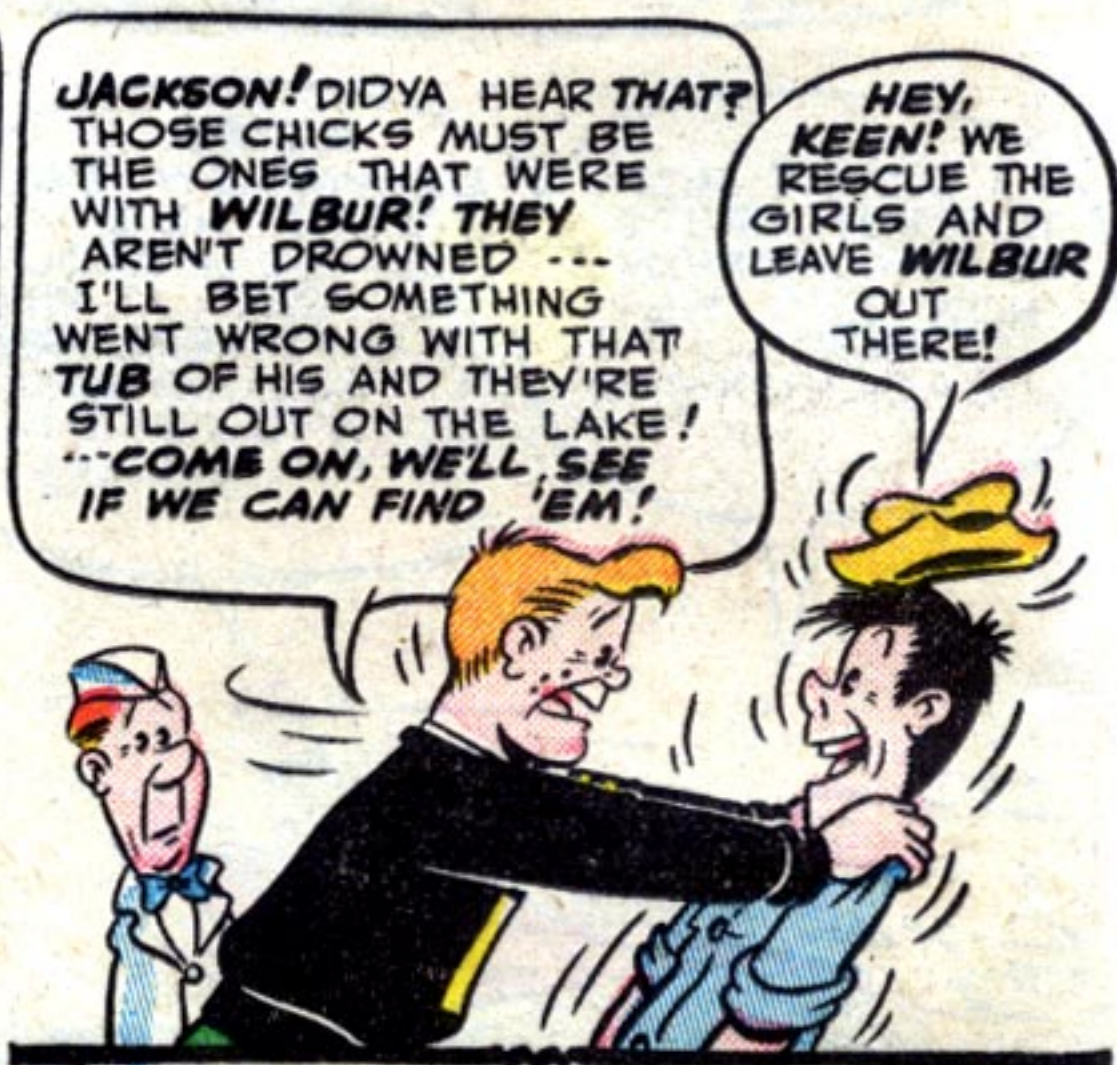
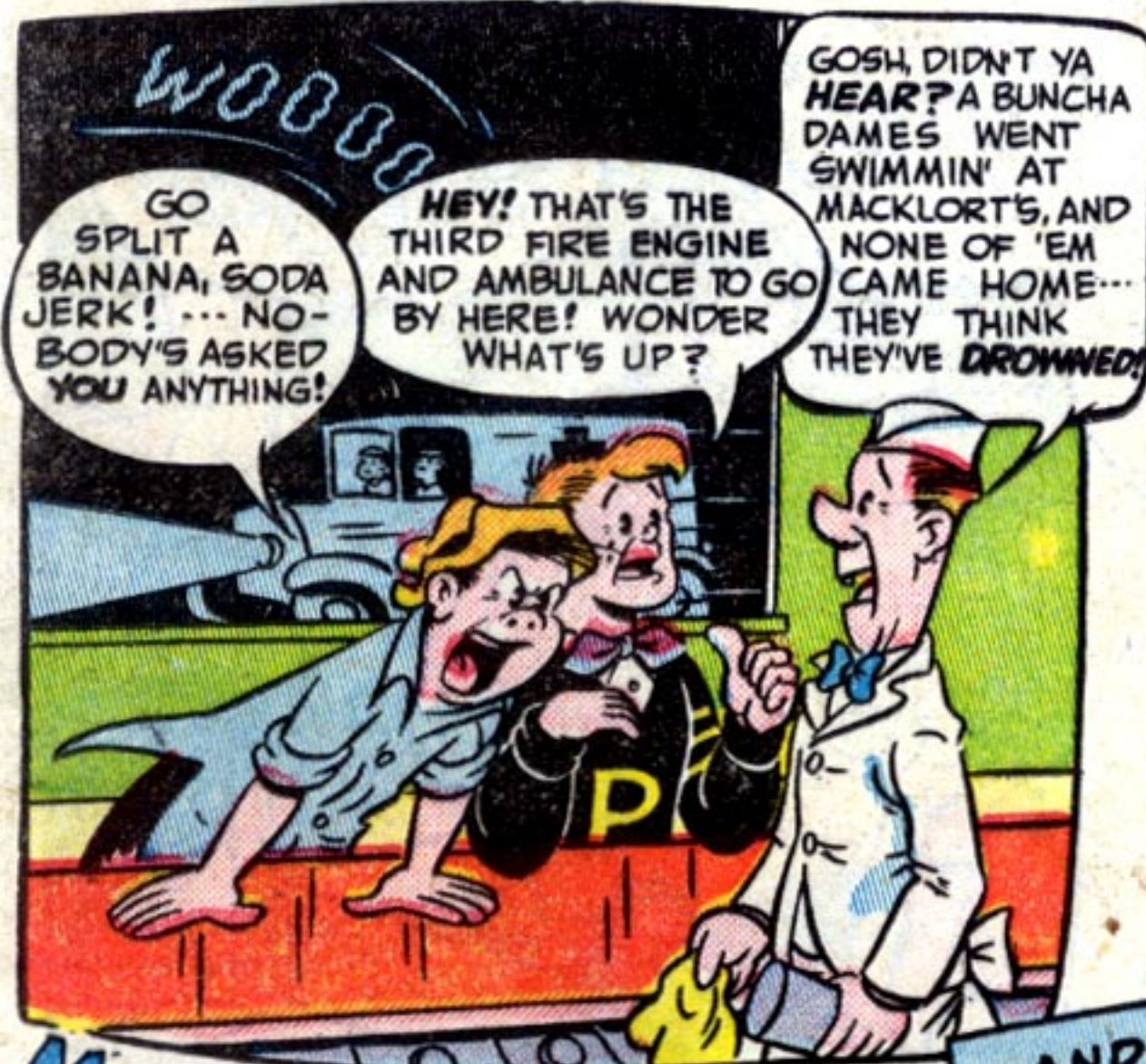
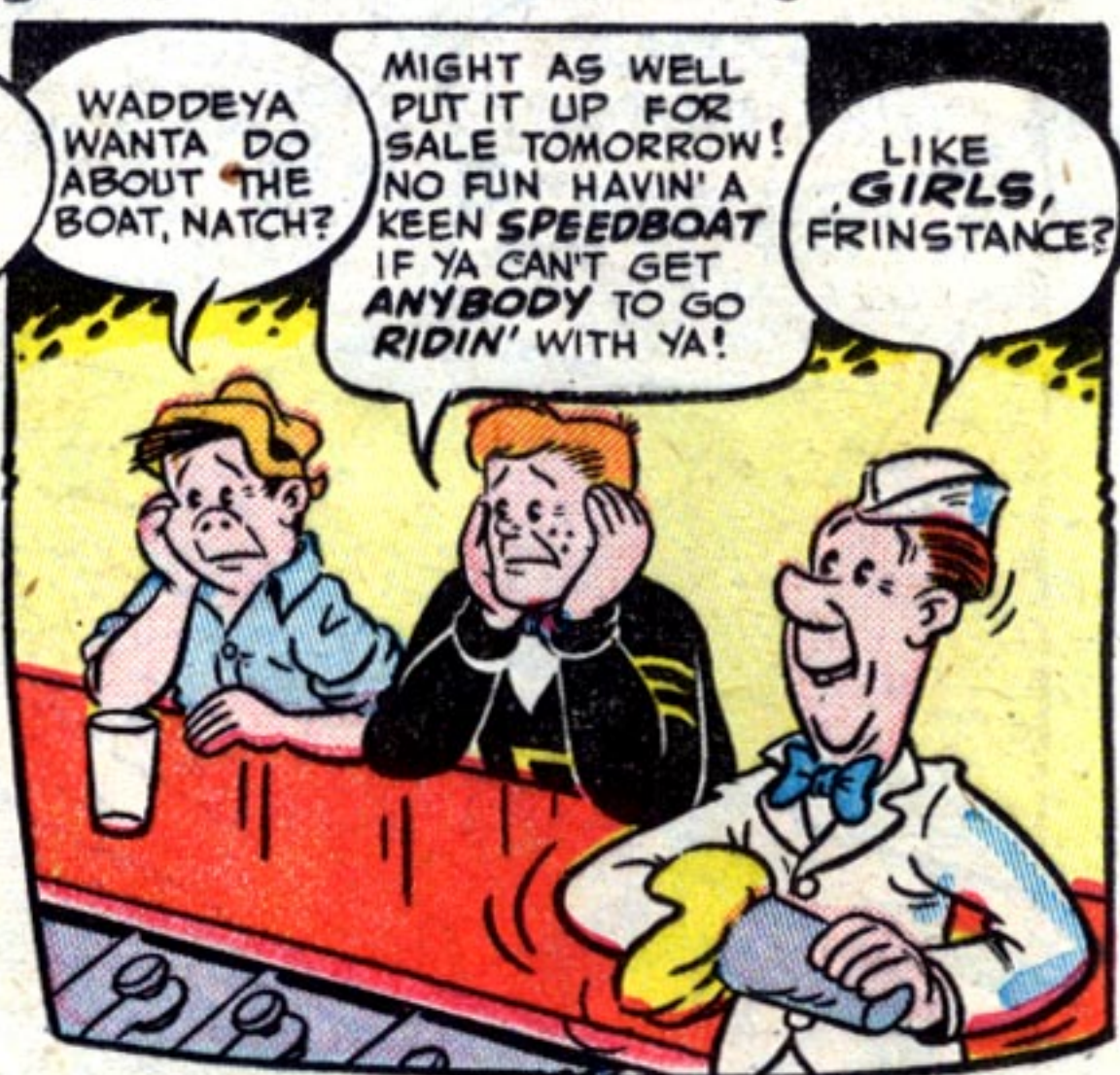


**HEY,
HE'S GONE!**

WELL, I GUESS
THAT'S **THAT!** HE
MUSTA BEEN **PLAYIN'**
WITH US! THAT FLOATIN'
PALACE OF HIS
PROBABLY HAD TWIN,
GRAY MARINES IN IT!
... HE JUST SLUICED
THE JUICE TO 'EM
AND LEFT US
SITTIN' HERE!



AFTER SUPPER THAT NIGHT, AT THE SWEET TOOTH...

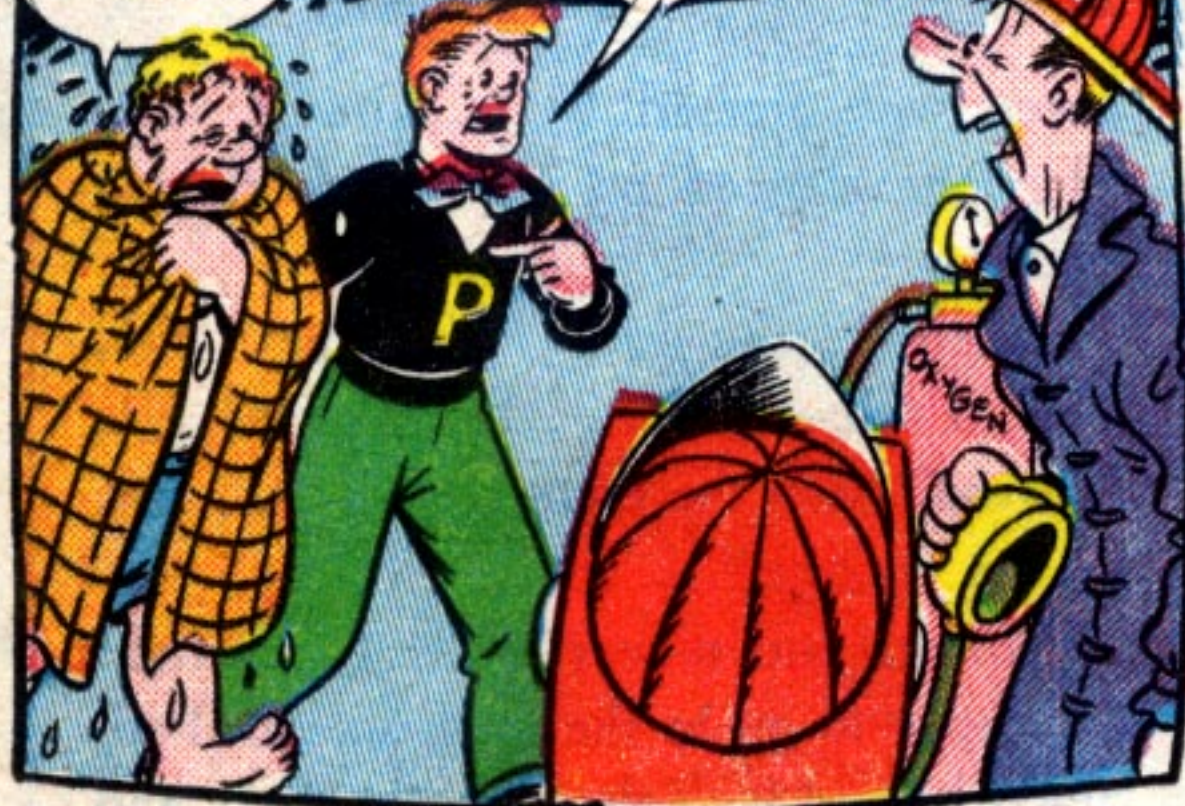


A FEW MINUTES LATER...

AH-CHOO!
= SOB =
MATER!

HEY, CHIEF! YOU CAN
QUIT DRAGGIN' THE LAKE...
THE GIRLS ARE SAFE!
THIS JERK WILBUR MORTON
HAD 'EM OUT ON HIS BOAT
AND RAN OUT OF GAS!...
WE JUST TOWED 'EM
IN!

WELL,
I'LL
BE...



MAC! NOTIFY THE
GIRLS' PARENTS
THAT THEY'RE SAFE
... BETTER CALL THE
MORTON KID'S FOLKS,
ALSO! THEY'RE
PROBABLY PLENTY
WORRIED TOO!

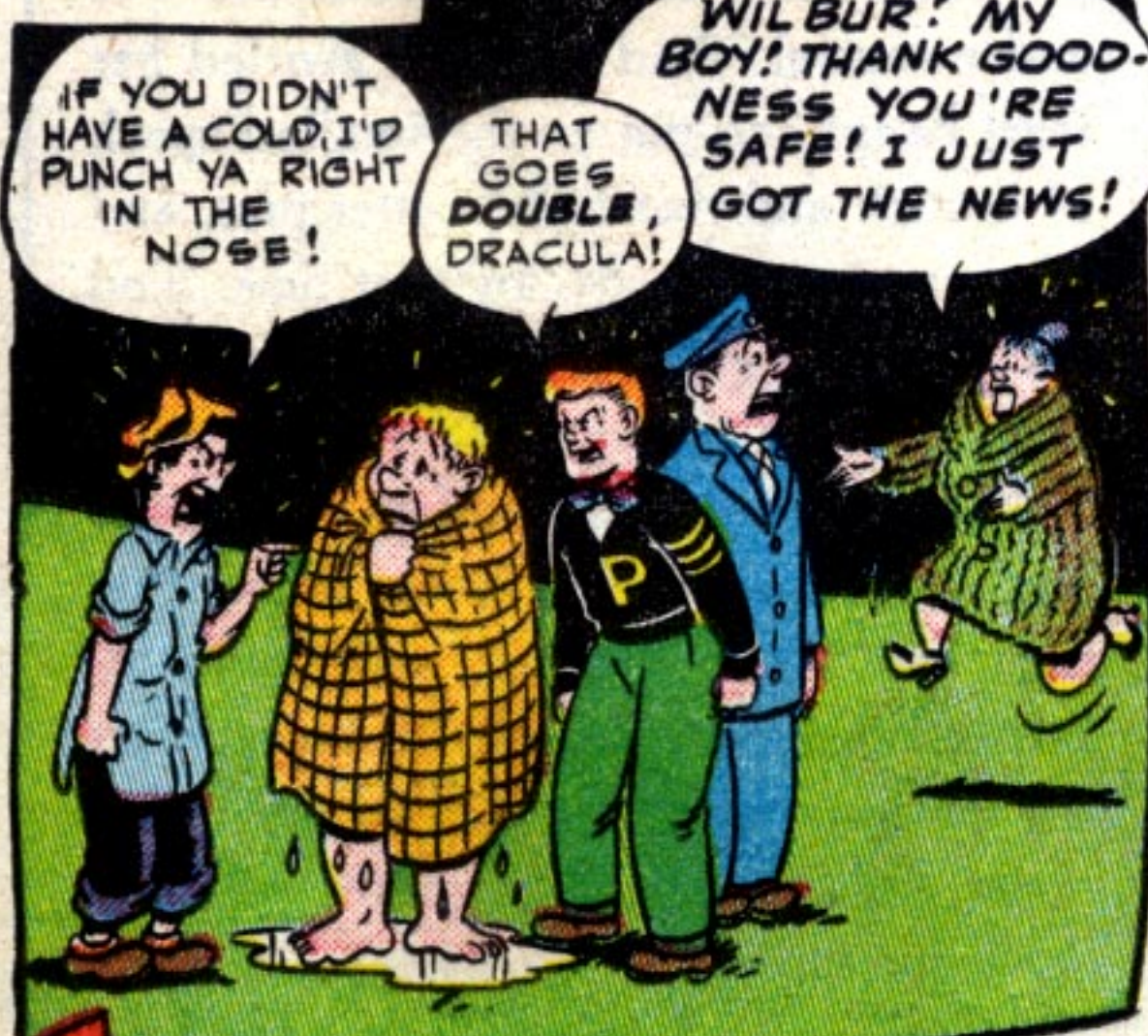
IT COST THE CITY
OF POINTFALLS
PLENTY TO HAUL
THIS EQUIPMENT
OUT HERE, AND
YOUR MOTHER'S
PAYIN' FOR IT
... OR ELSE!

= SNIFF =
Y-YES SIR!
KA-CHOO!

RIGHT,
CHIEF!



AND SOON...



IF YOU DIDN'T
HAVE A COLD, I'D
PUNCH YA RIGHT
IN THE
NOSE!

THAT
GOES
DOUBLE,
DRACULA!

WILBUR! MY
BOY! THANK GOOD-
NESS YOU'RE
SAFE! I JUST
GOT THE NEWS!

WILBUR, DEAH BOY
YOU MAY HAVE THREE
CADILLACS FOR YOUR
BIRTHDAY, BUT
TOMORROW THAT
BOAT IS BEING
SOLD!

YES,
MATER!



SO...



ISN'T IT
GOING TO BE
A 'WONDERFUL
SUMMER? JUST
WE GIRLS AND
THESE TWO
CUTE BOYS!

NO, NO, PRETTY GIRLS,
DON'T PUT YER ARMS
AROUND ME WHILE I'M
STEERIN' ... DO IT
ALL THE TIME!

MM-MM! BOTH
OF YOU BOYS GIVE
US A BIG
CHARGE!

JACKSON'S
REALLY A
CHARACTER
ISN'T HE,
CHICKS?

The
End

STAR LIGHT, STAR BRIGHT

"HOW do they do it?" Joyce wondered aloud, as she stood on the back porch, watching the hot pink sunset. As always, she was thinking of the other girls . . . the girls who knew how to talk easily to boys, joke with them, get dates with them! For, if the truth were told, Joyce Hart had never had a single date!

As the sun sank lower, Joyce perched on the railing and leaned against a post. "I *know* I'm just as pretty as anyone else," she continued, addressing a morning glory vine. "I've got a sweet disposition, too, haven't I?" The vine nodded gently in greement.

"It's that awful *shyness*!" Joyce decided. "Oh, I wish I weren't so timid! I get red and all choked up when boys talk to me. Especially Tod Barker! Only he never says much, because he's shy, too! Well, I guess there's nothing I can do about it . . . just keep wishing!"

As Joyce spoke, the first evening star lit right up, over her head. It seemed to be twinkling especially for her. "All right," she agreed, smiling up at the star, "that's just what I'll do . . . keep wishing!"

Shutting her eyes tightly, Joyce recited in a soft, clear voice,

"Star light, star bright,
First star I see tonight,
I wish I may, I wish I might,
Have the wish I wish tonight!"

And then she made her wish. "I would appreciate it very much if you could get Tod Barker to ask me to go out with him! I sorta *like* him!"

The minute she entered the house,

Joyce was greeted by a miracle. The telephone danced on the stand, ringing merrily.

"Hello?" she said. "Why, yes! Yes, Tod, it's Joyce! I . . . I'd love to! No, I haven't seen the picture. Yes . . . yes, I'll be waiting!"

Mother said it was perfectly all right for Joyce to go to the movies with Tod. She'd helped with the clearing away and the dishes, and all of her homework was under control. And so Joyce swirled her front bangs and put on the smallest speck of lipstick and two little scatter pins, and by that time . . . why, by that time, Tod Barker, blushing furiously, was at the door.

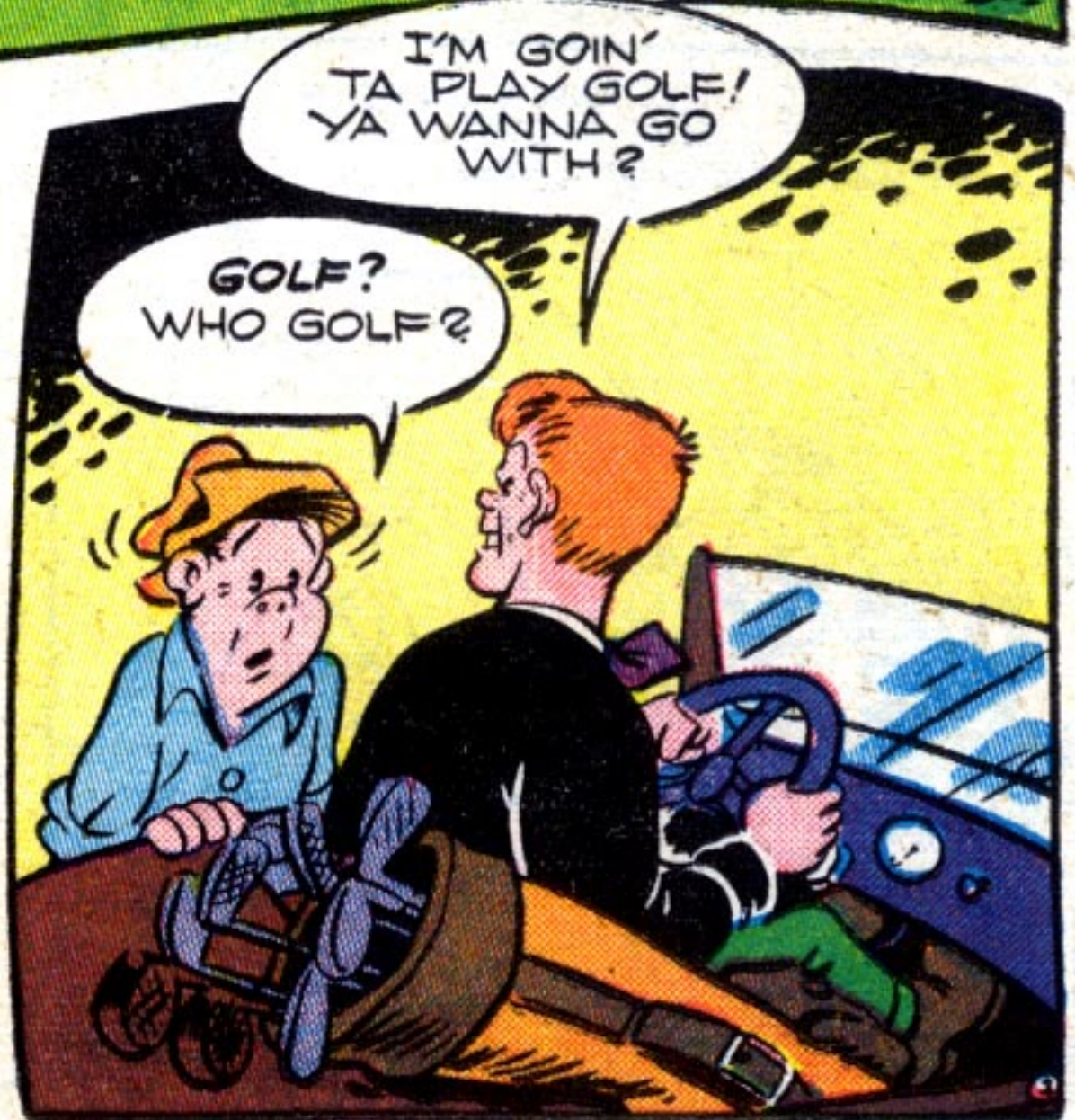
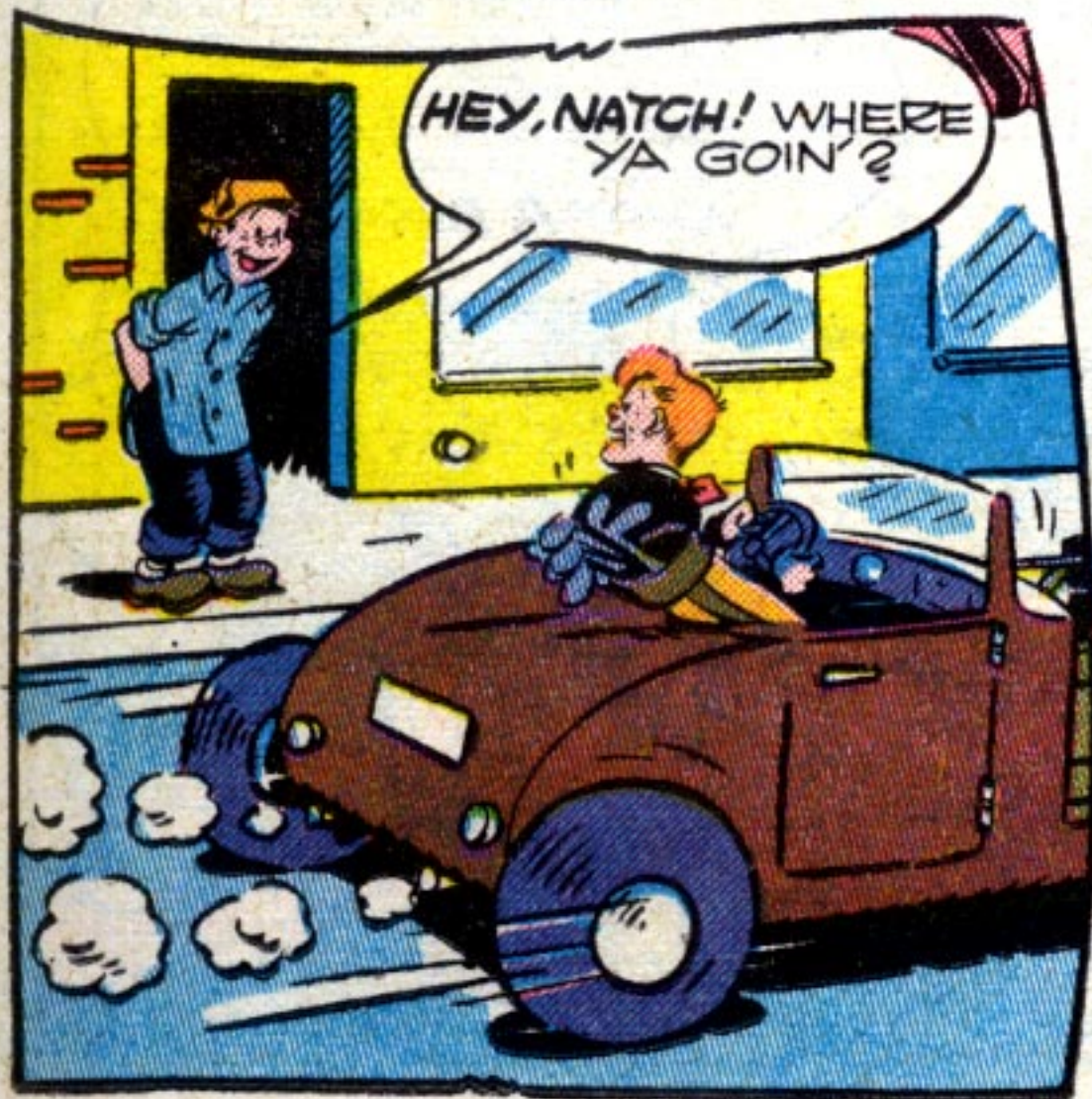
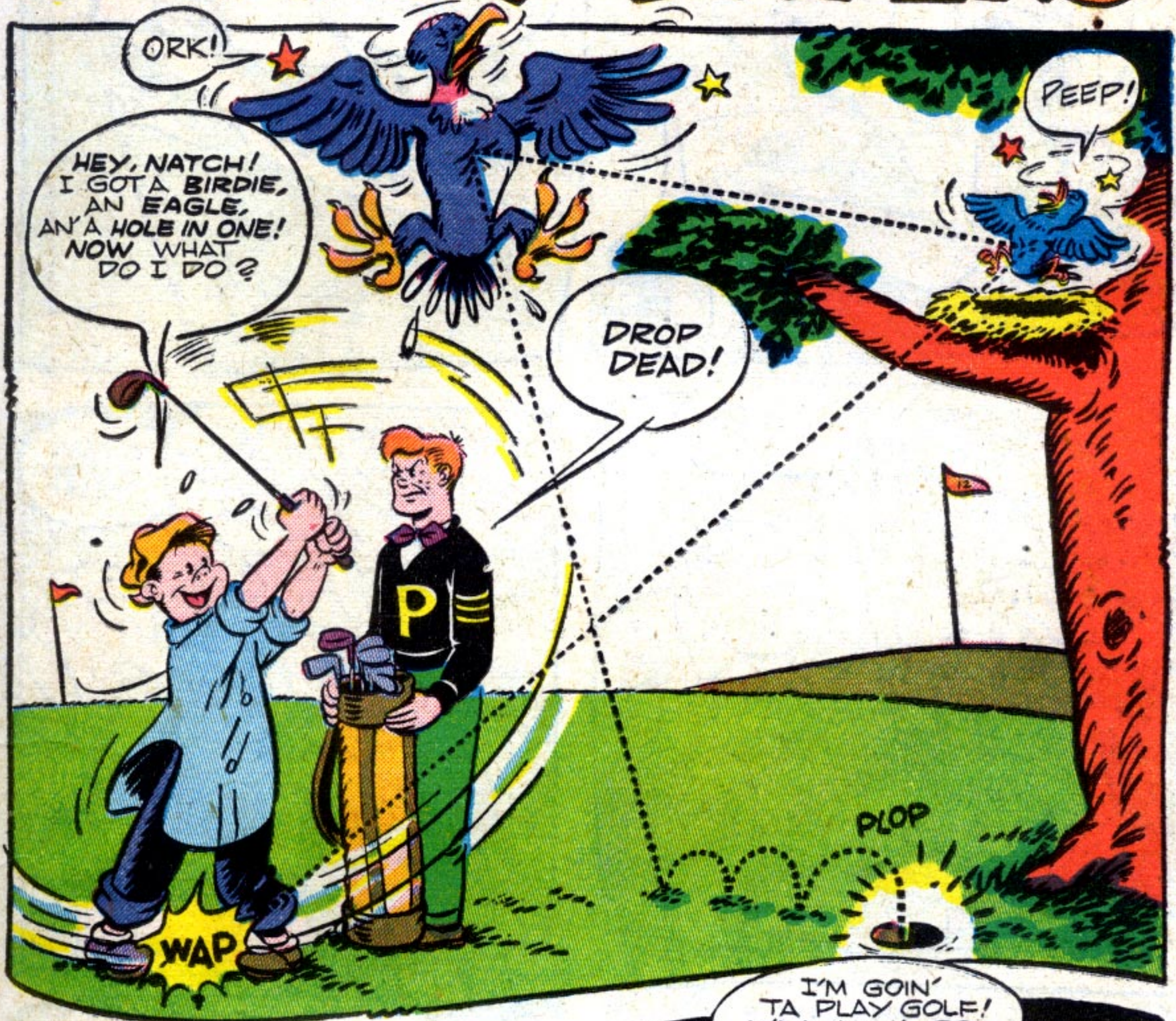
Her first date, and a perfect one! Joyce and Tod, shy at first, soon found that they could talk together and laugh together and have a wonderful time. After the movies and the malts, Tod saw Joyce home and made another date with her. A follow-up date!

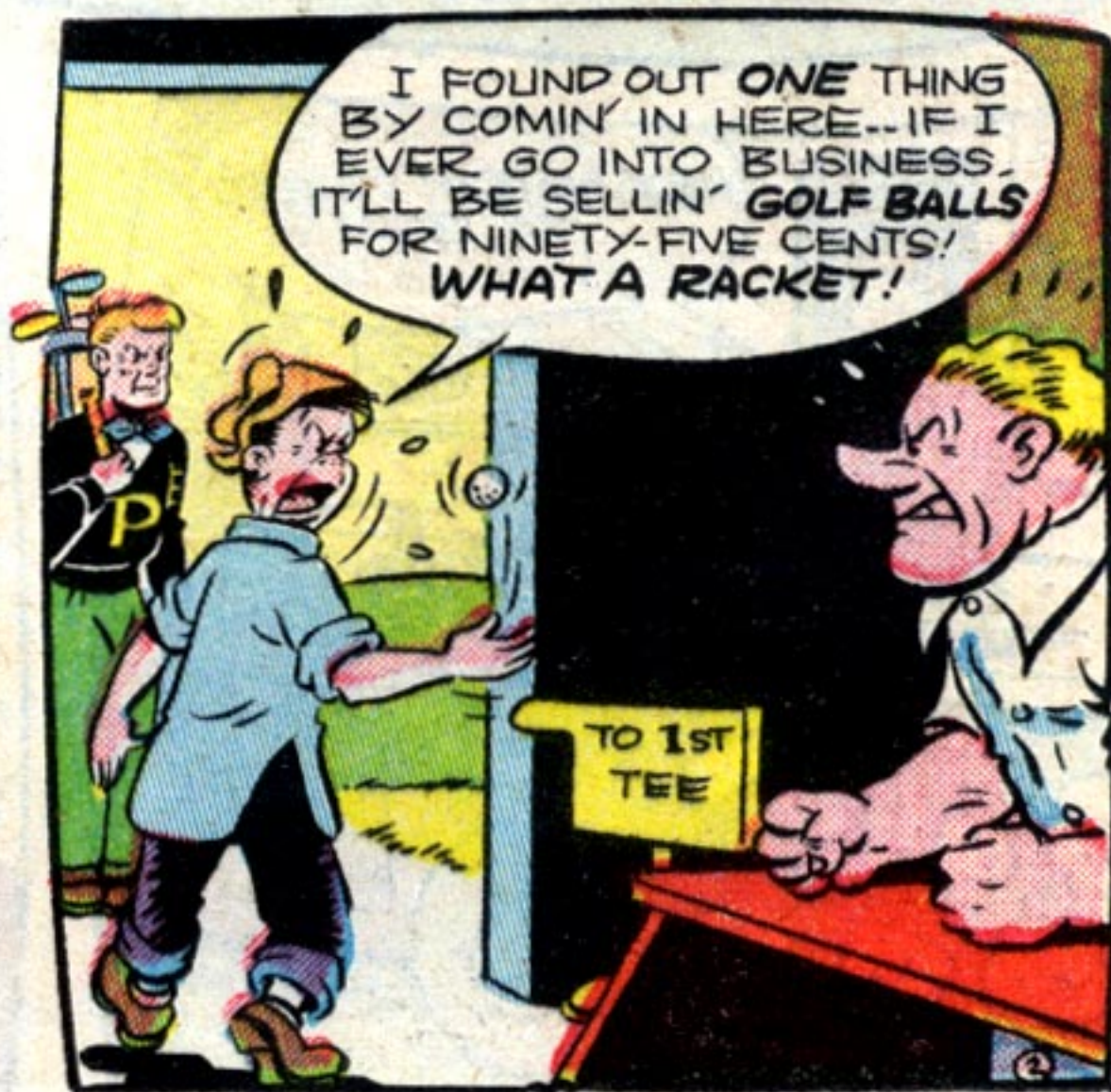
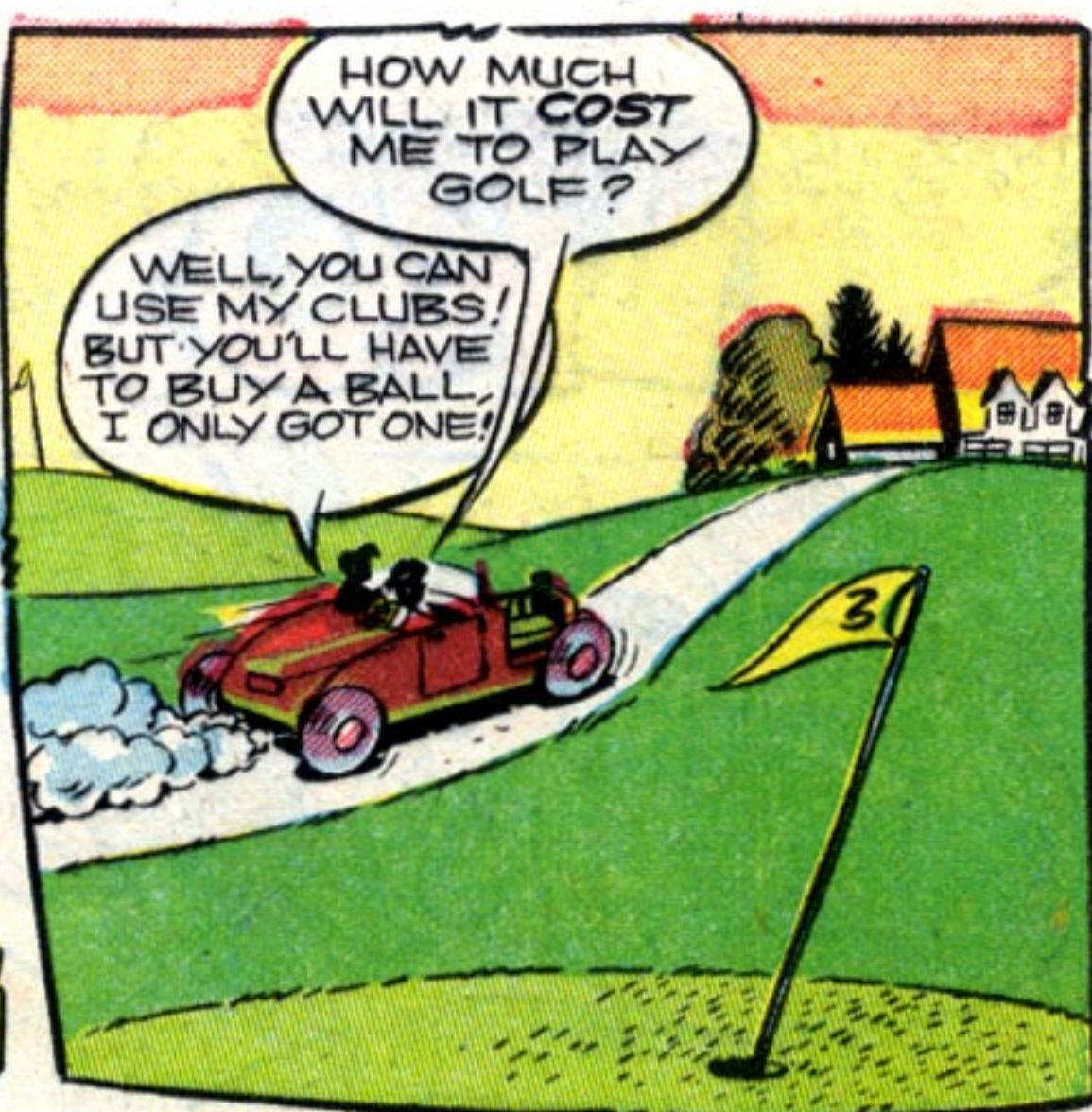
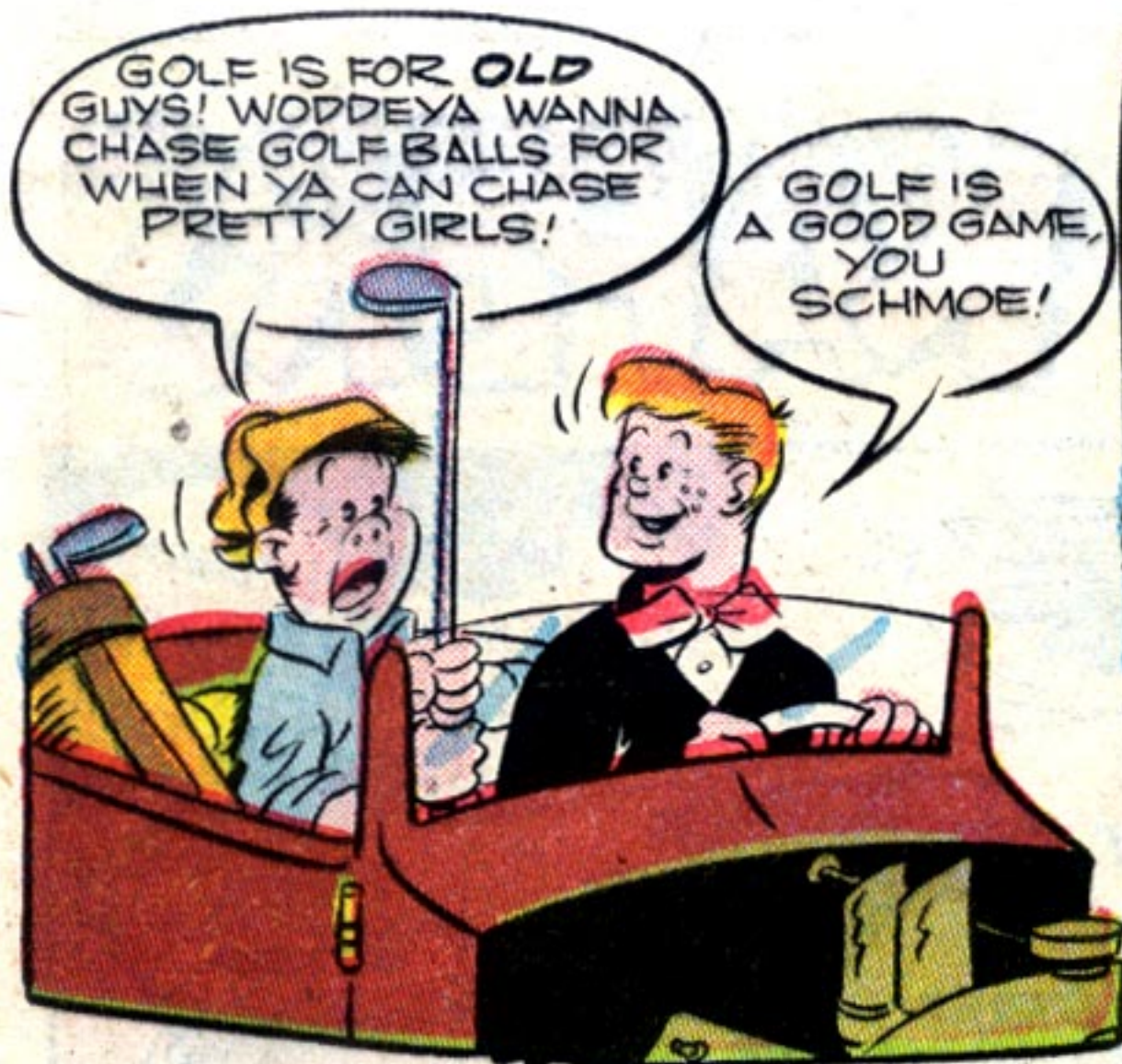
Would miracles never cease? Half the night, Joyce stayed awake, asking herself this new question. And the other half had a strangely haunting quality. "How did he *know*?" Joyce asked herself. "How did Tod Barker *know*?"

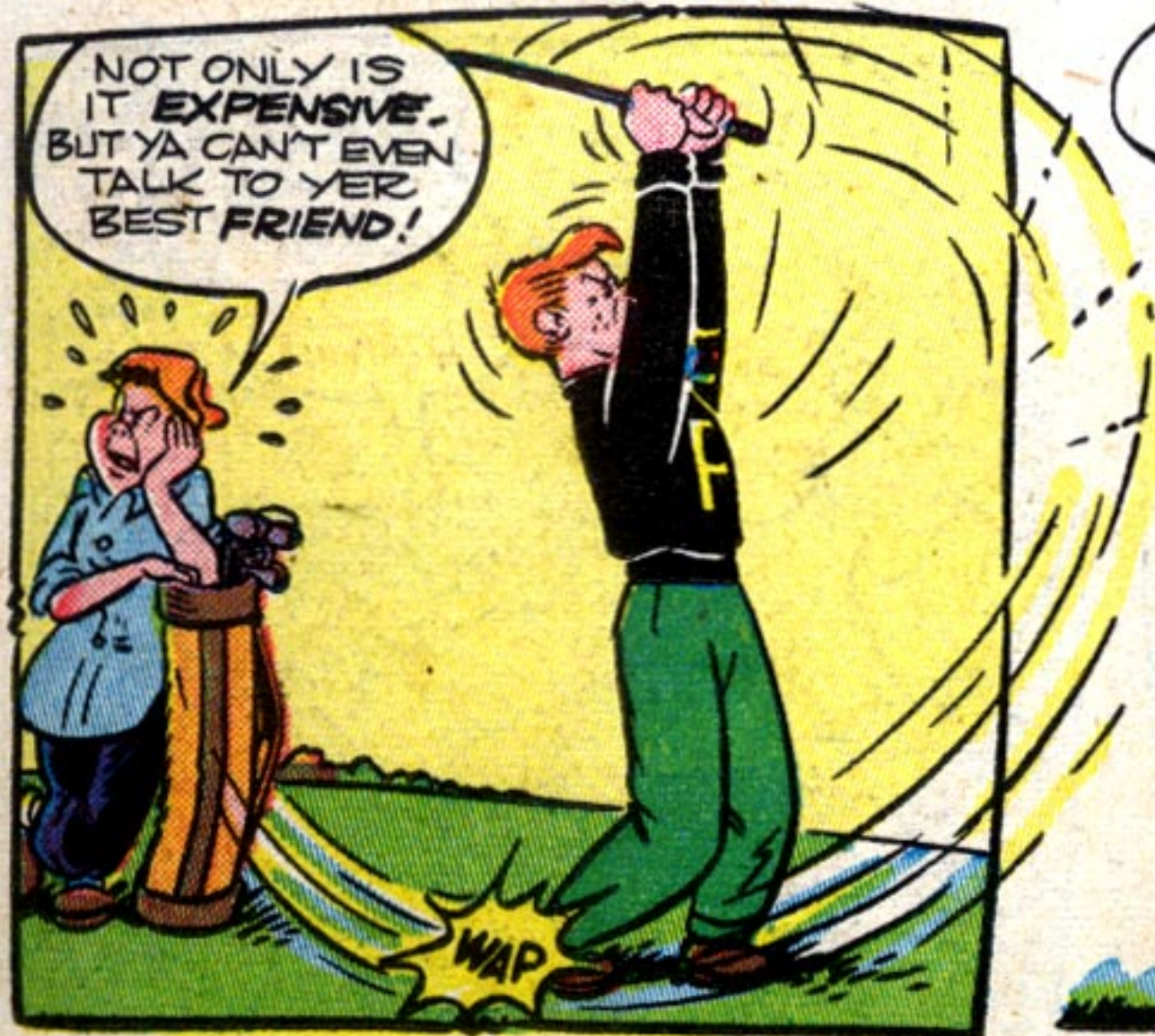
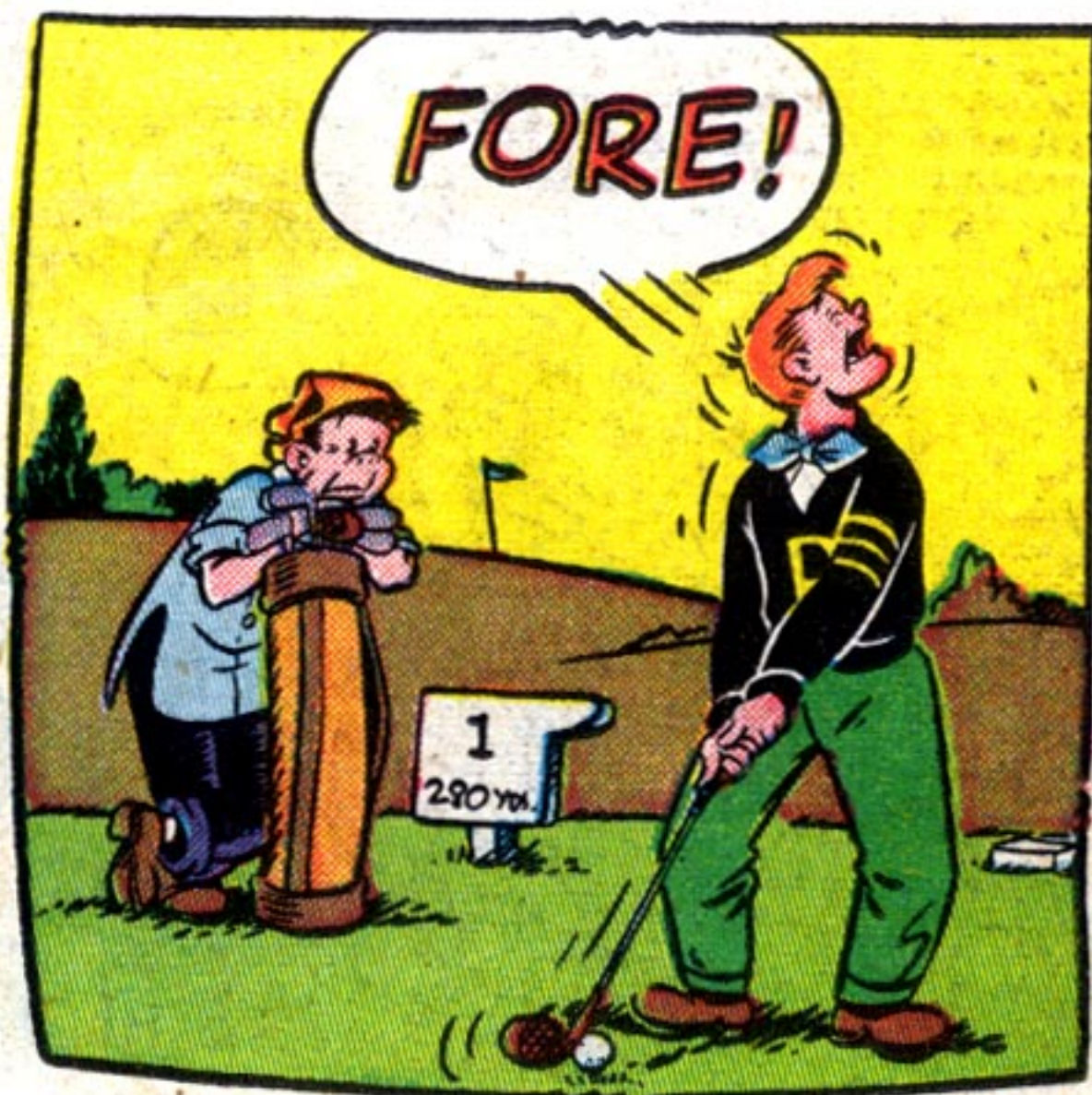
The following afternoon, the postman handed Joyce a small package, beautifully wrapped. And, in the package, Joyce found the answer.

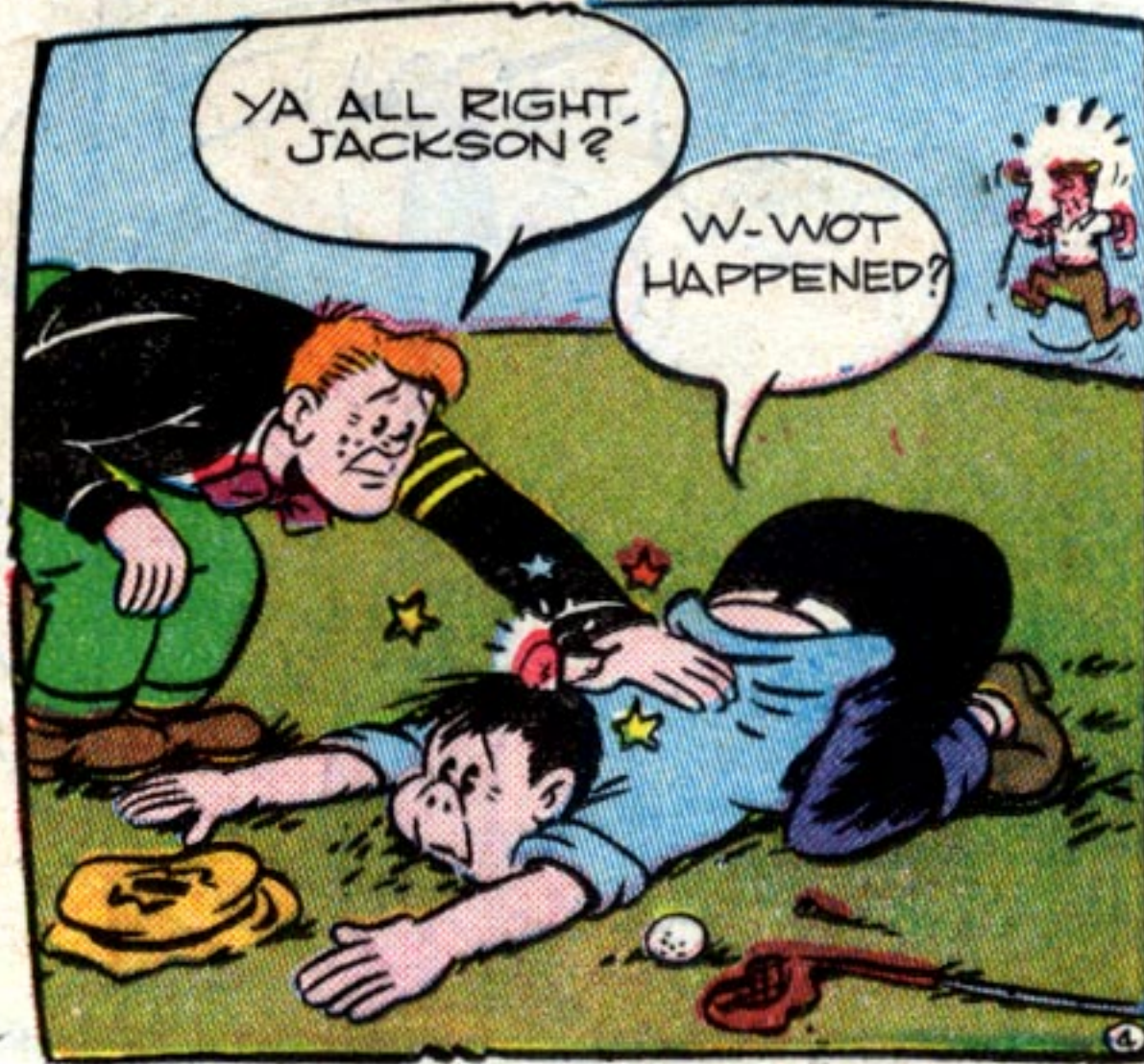
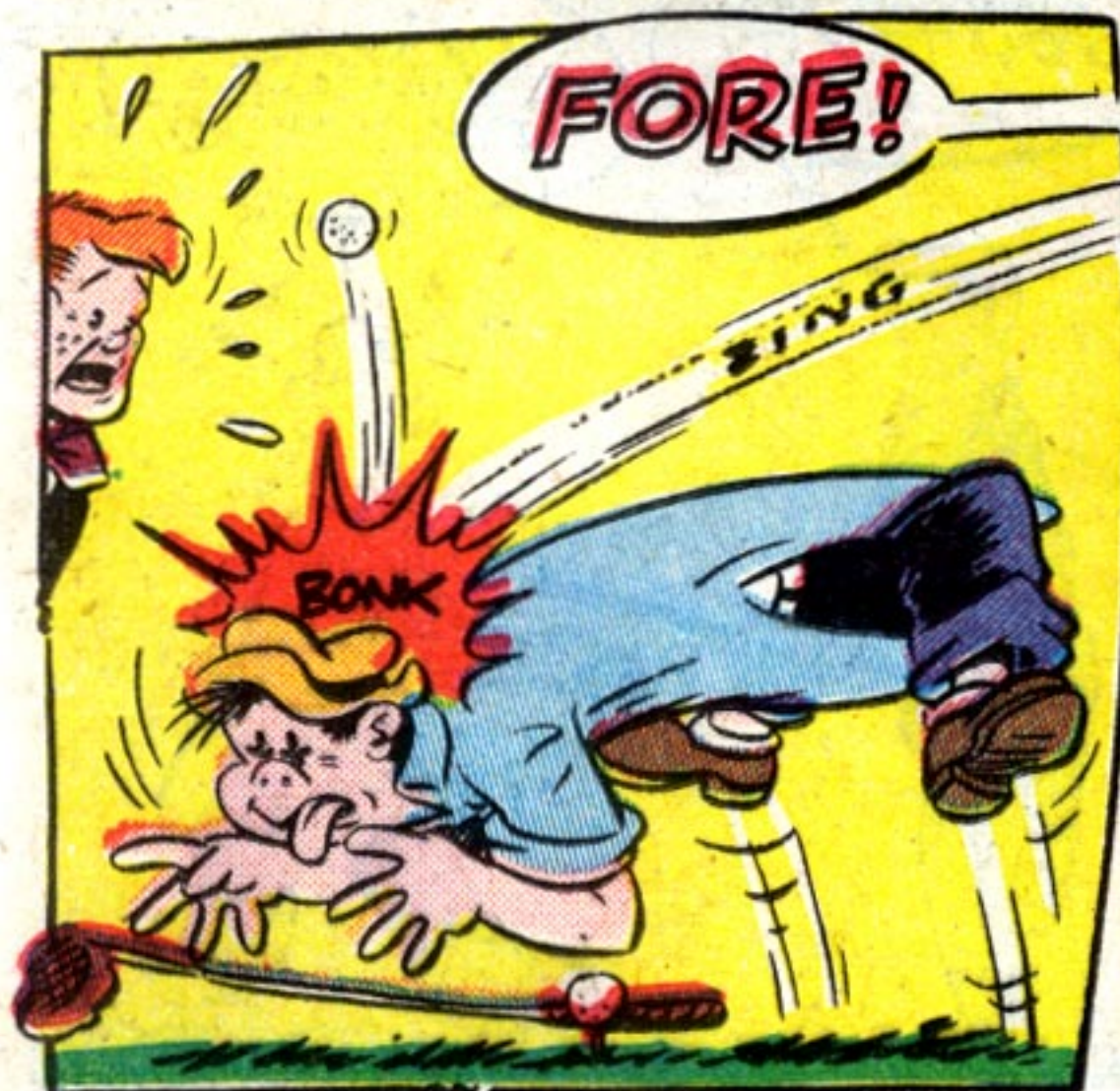
For, twinkling up from a bed of cotton wool, was a tiny, sparkling pin in the shape of a *star*! And the card read, "From the lucky fellow who was strolling past the morning glory vine last night!"

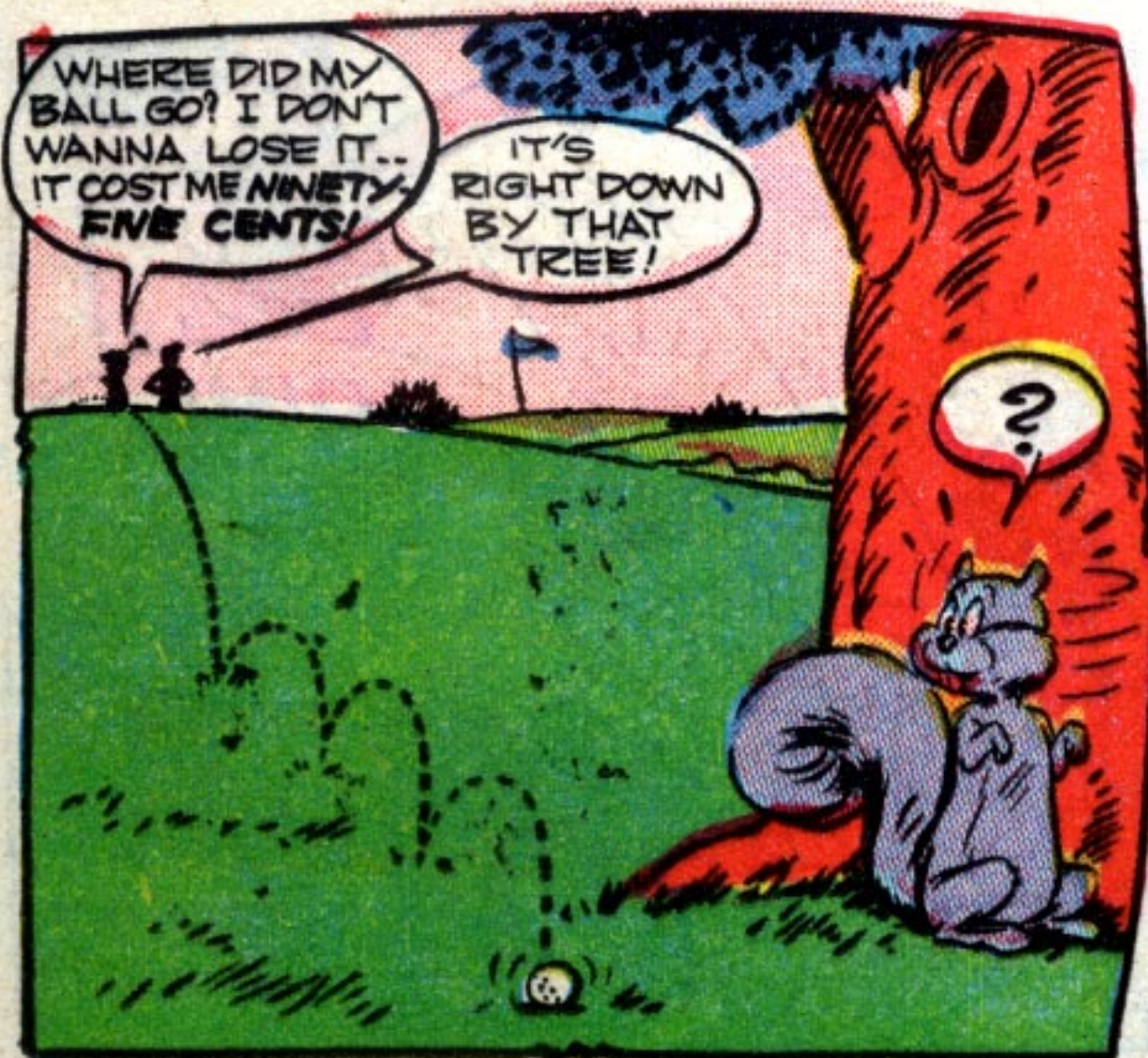
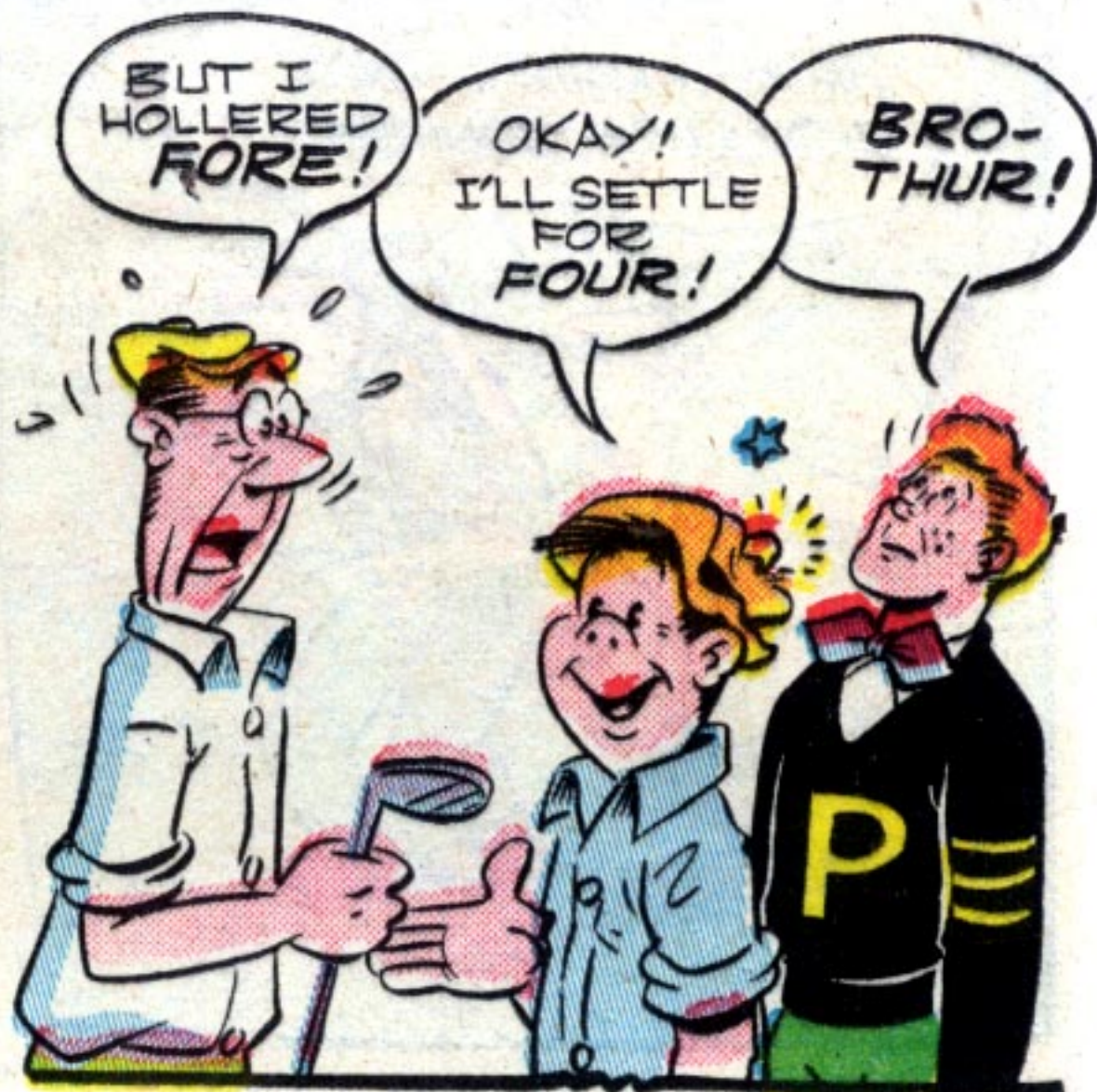
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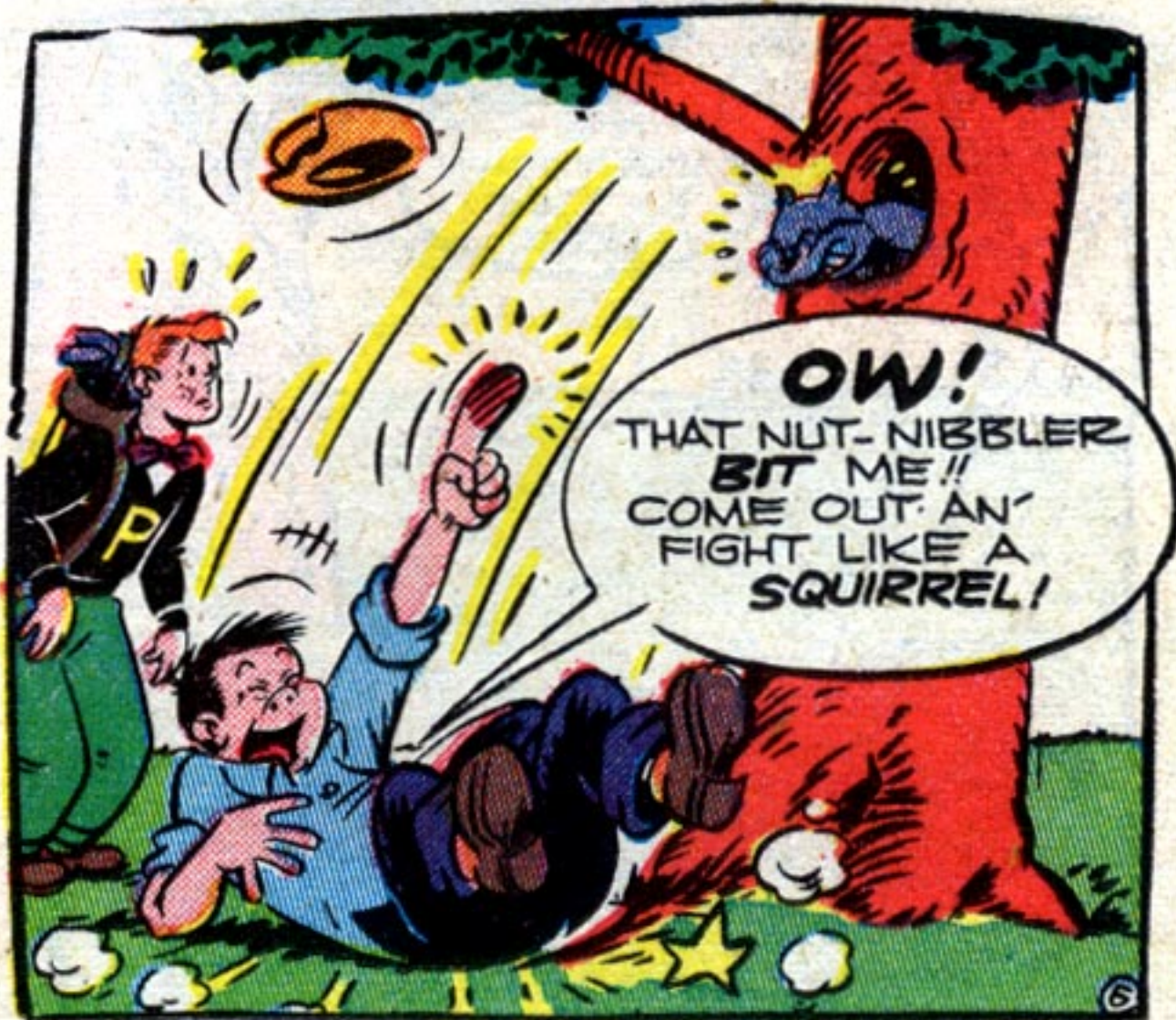


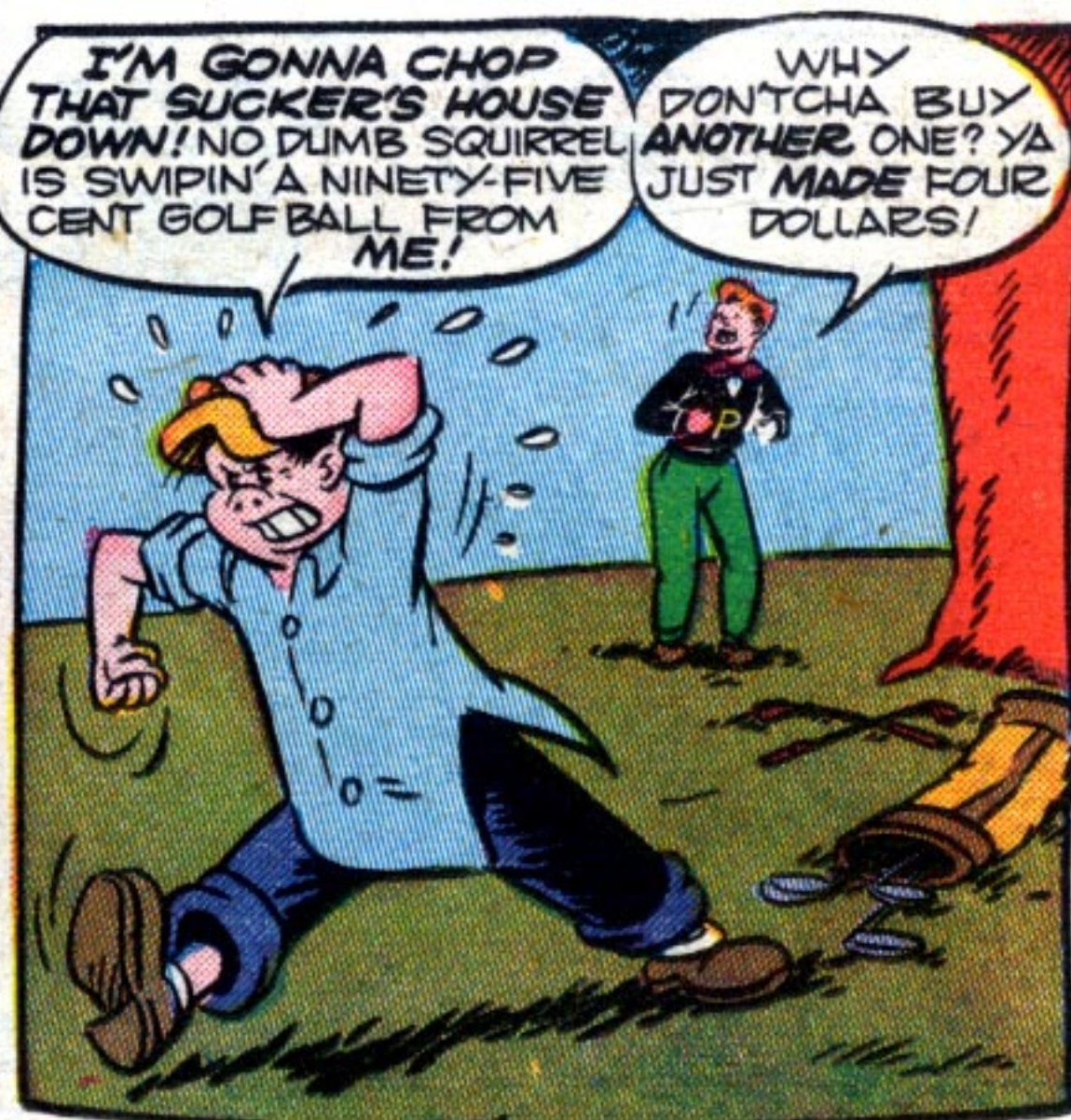


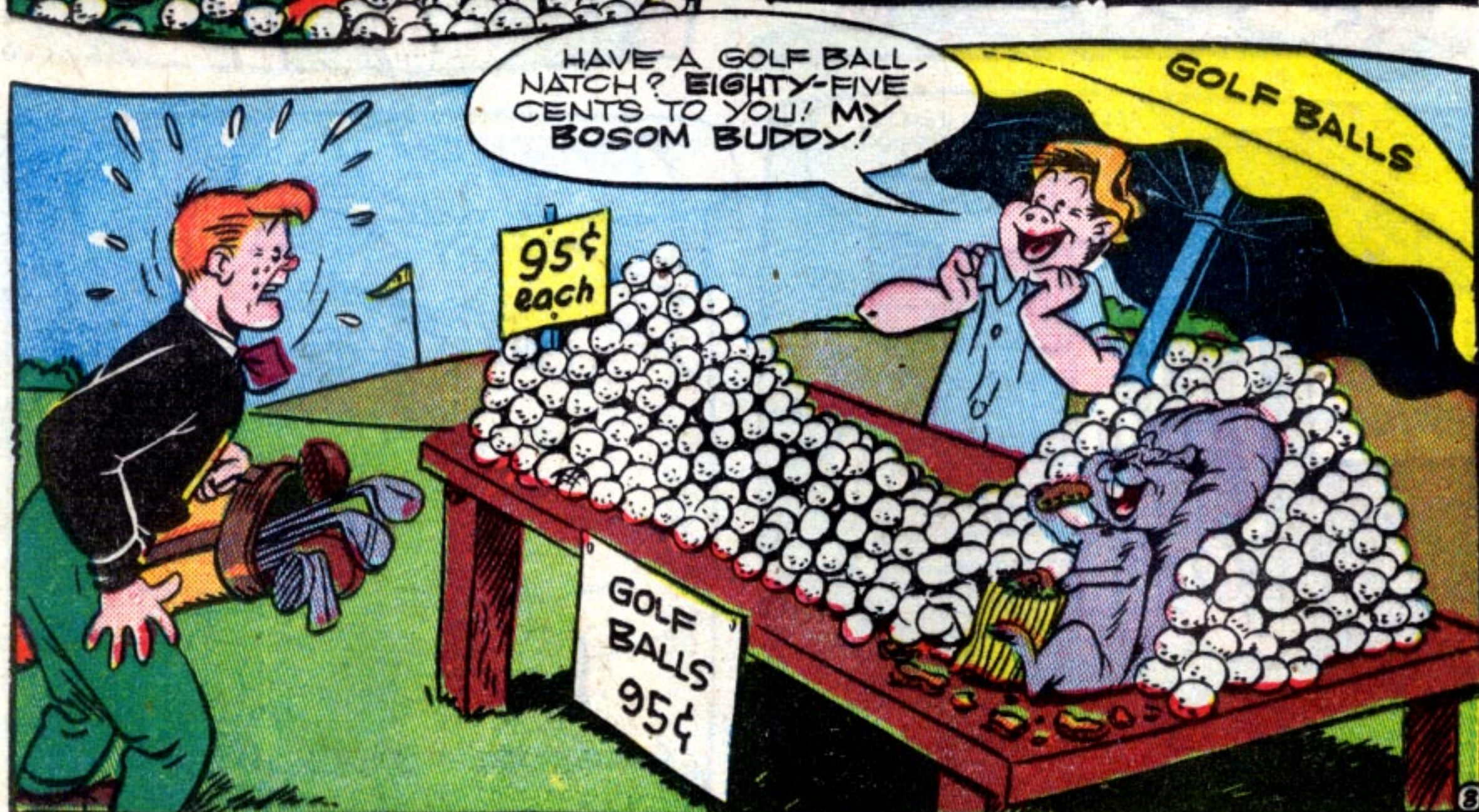
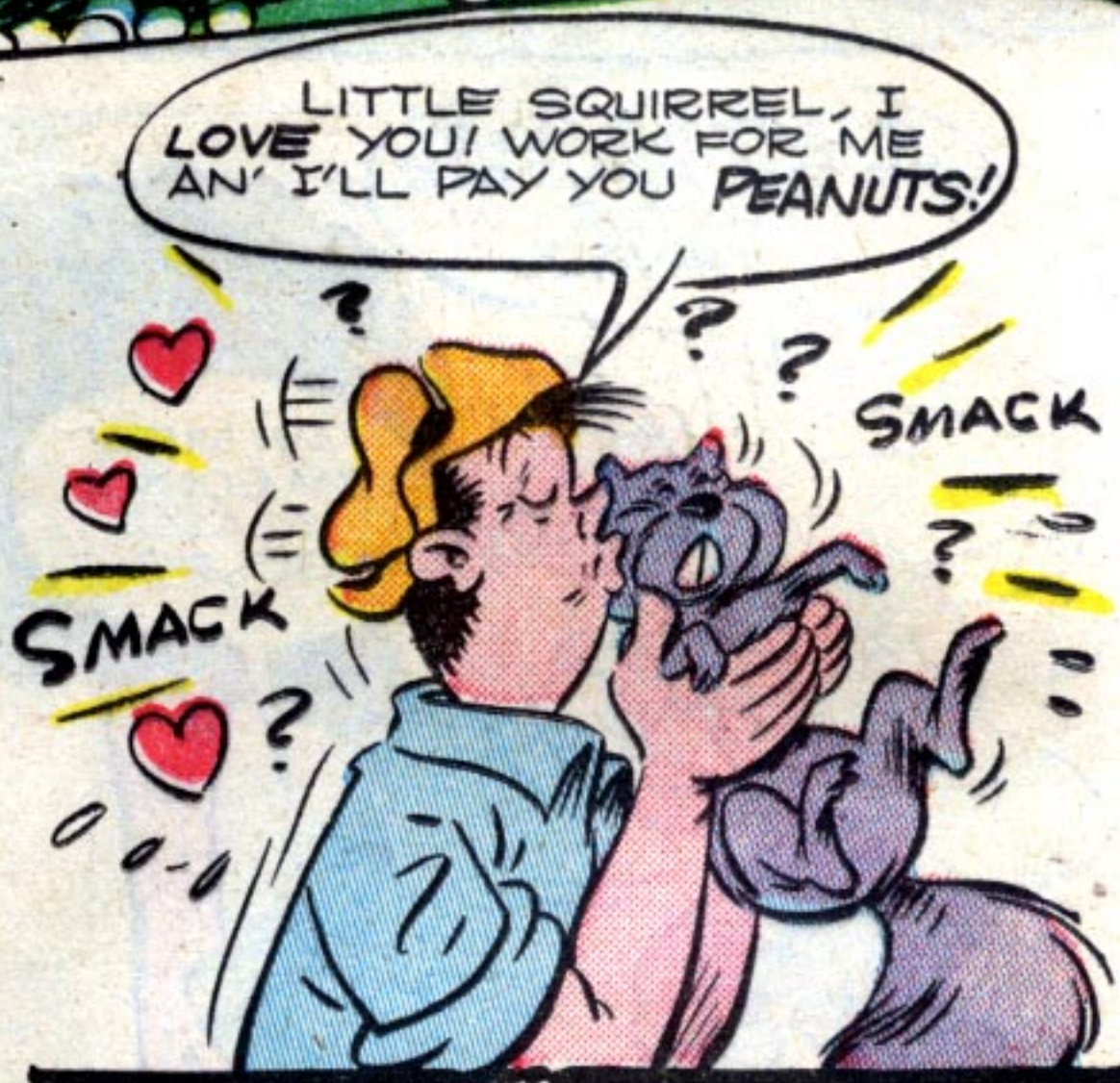












Solid Jackson

MLLE OLGA

I DON'T KNOW
WHETHER TO
HAVE MY **PALM**
READ OR MY
MIND READ!

WHY DON'T YOU
GET YOUR **PALM**
READ? I **KNOW**
YA GOT A **PALM**!

MLLE

PALM

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MLLE OLGA
FORTUNE TELLING
MIND READING
PALM READING
ENTRANCE

PALMIST

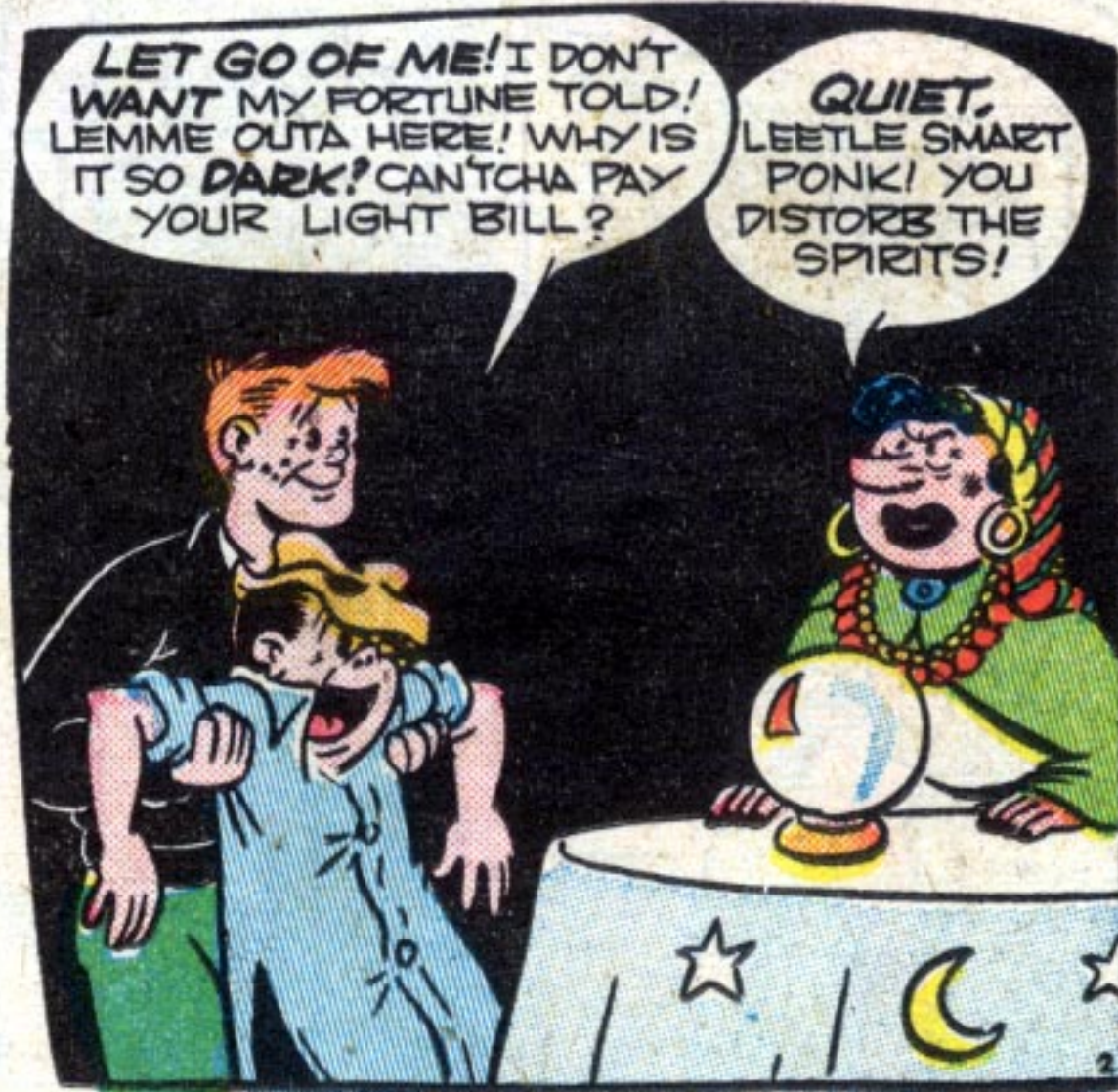
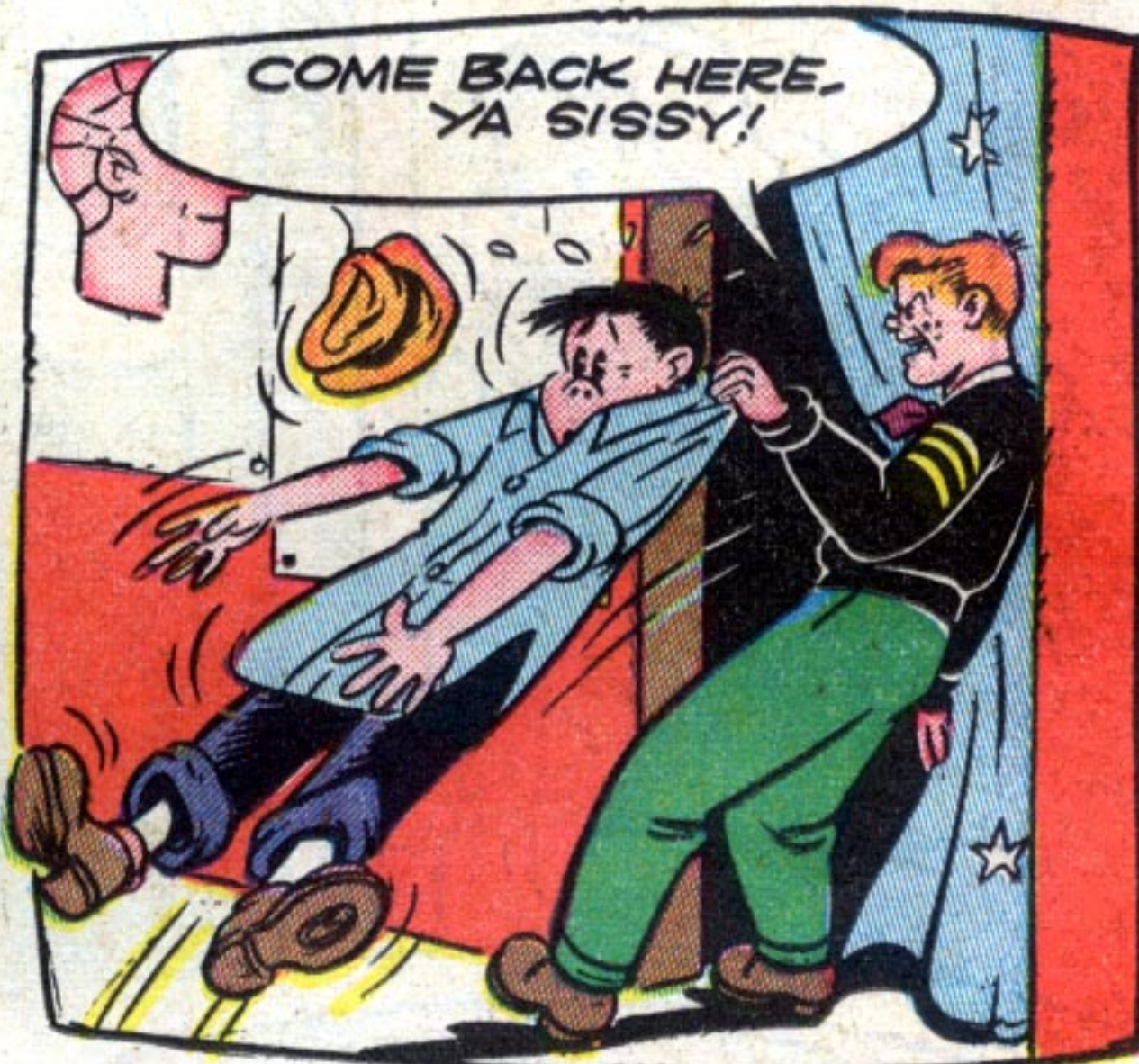
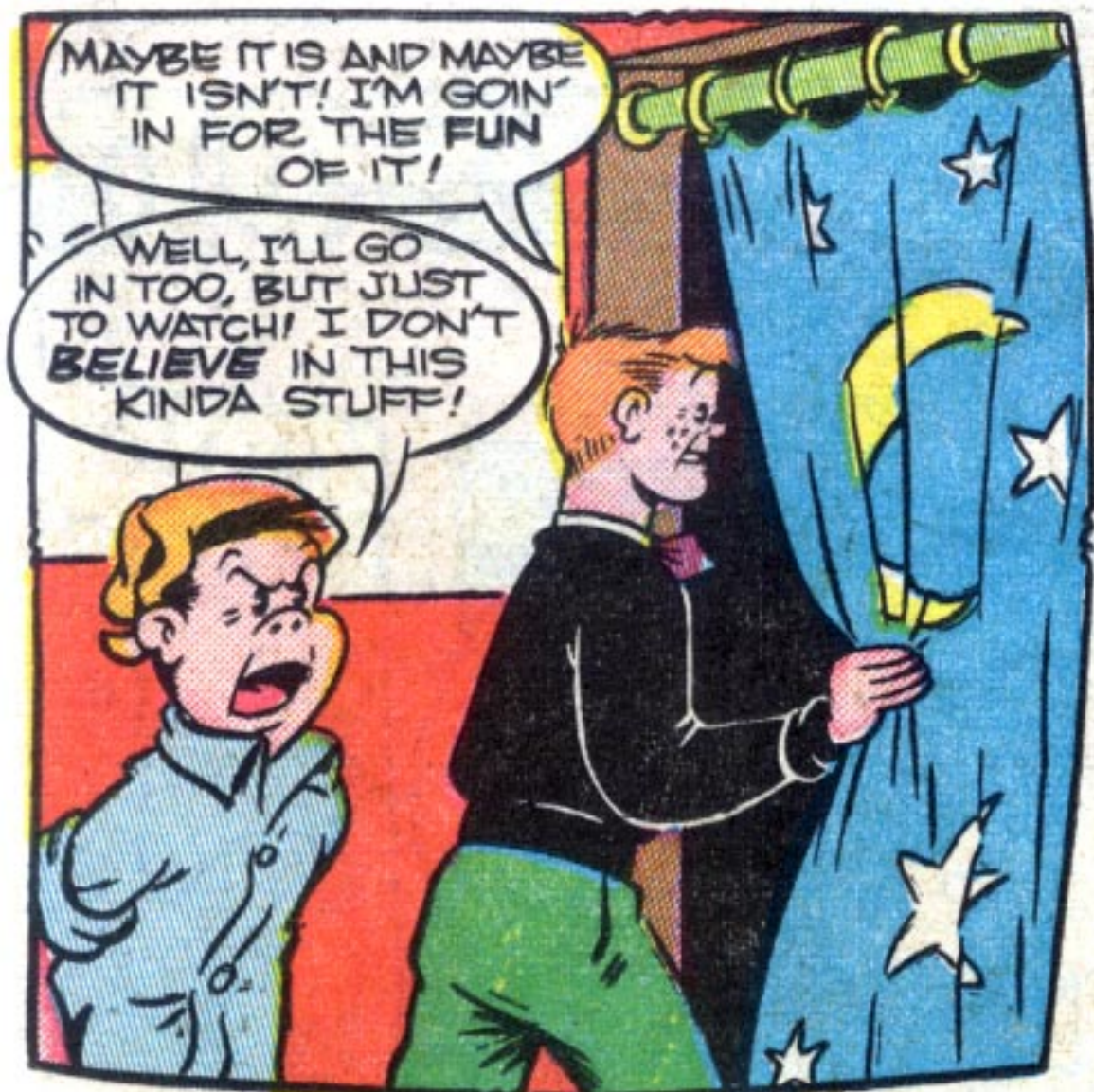
MIND READING

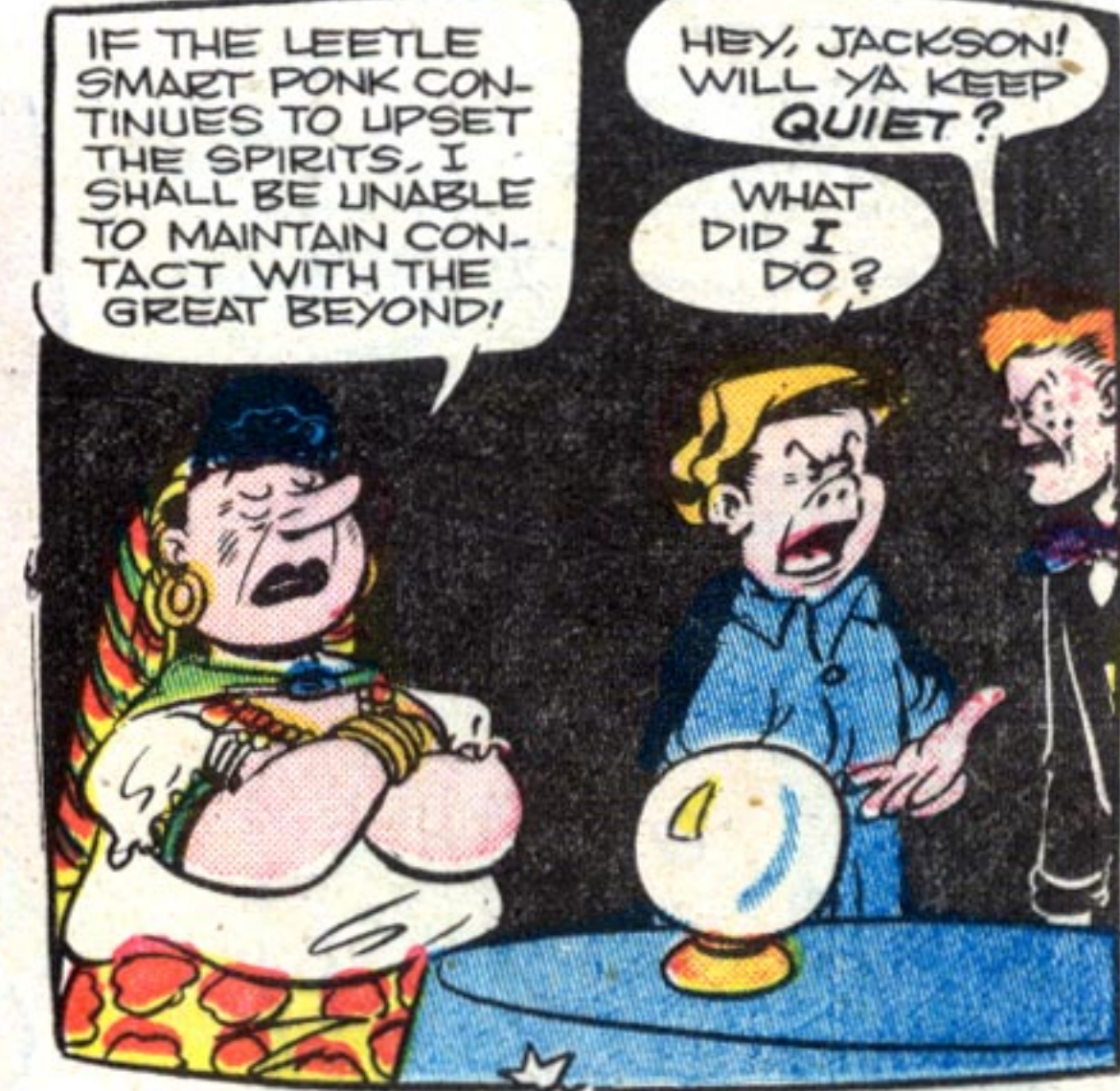
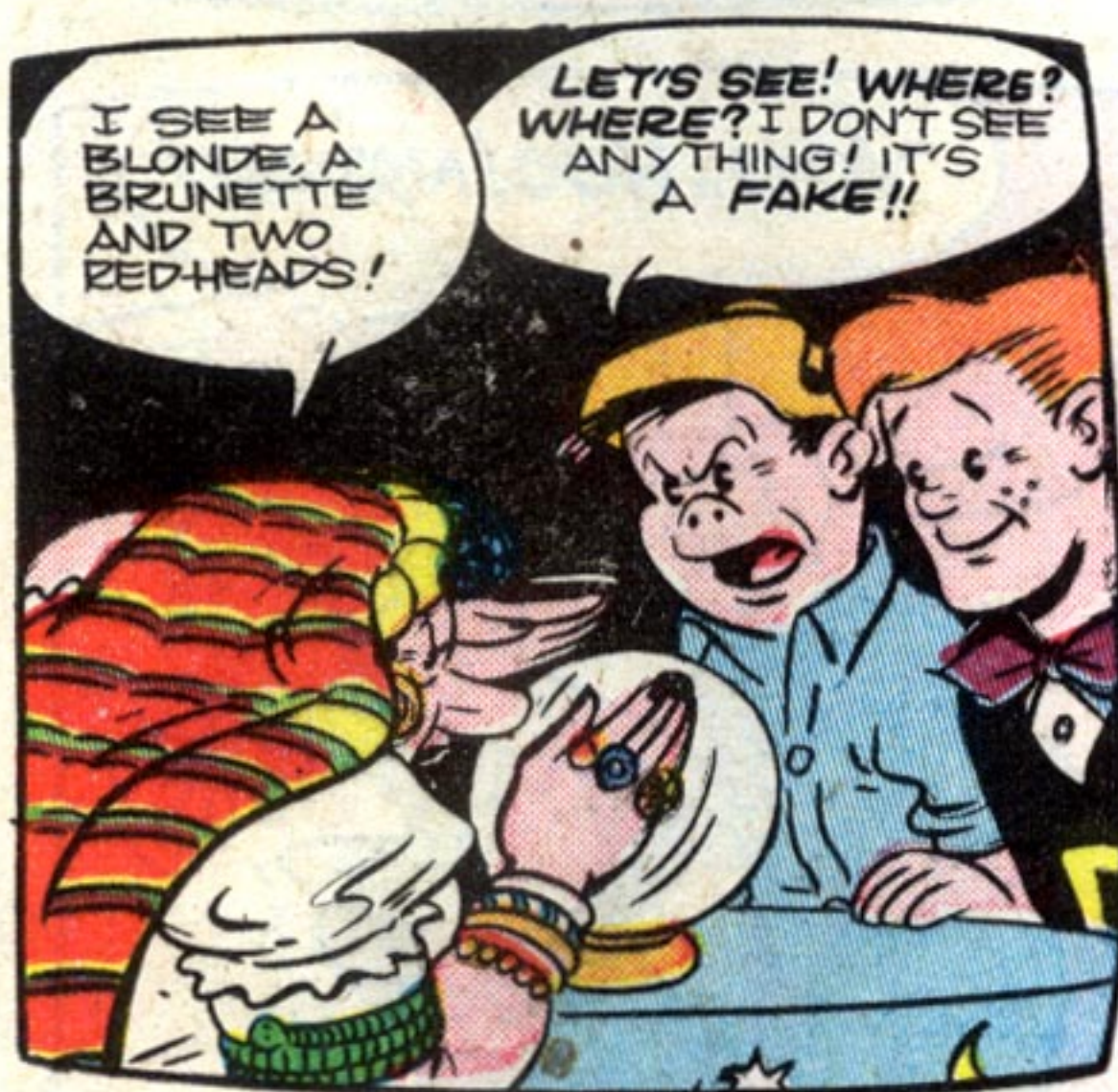
LEARN
YOUR
FUTURE!

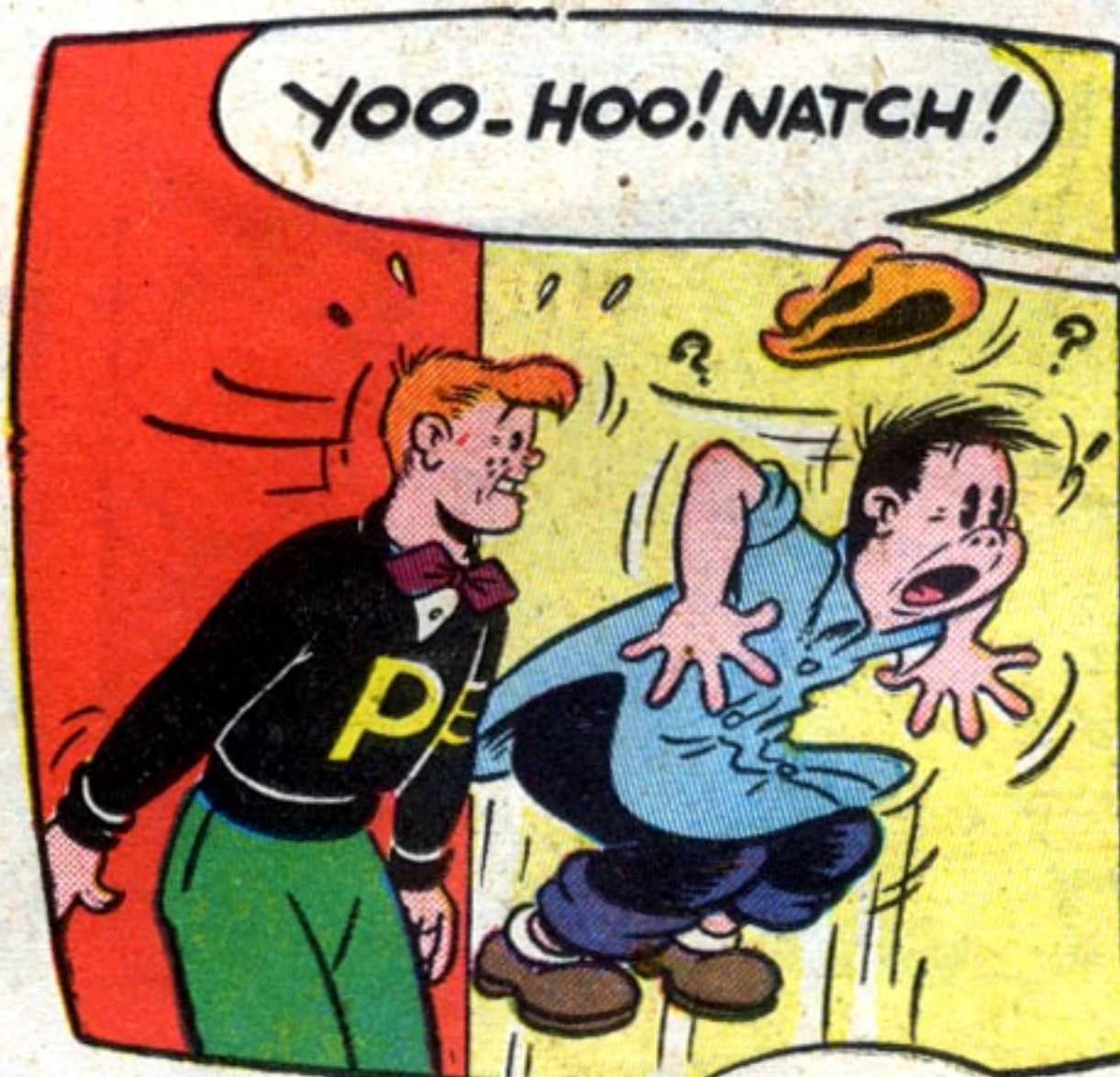
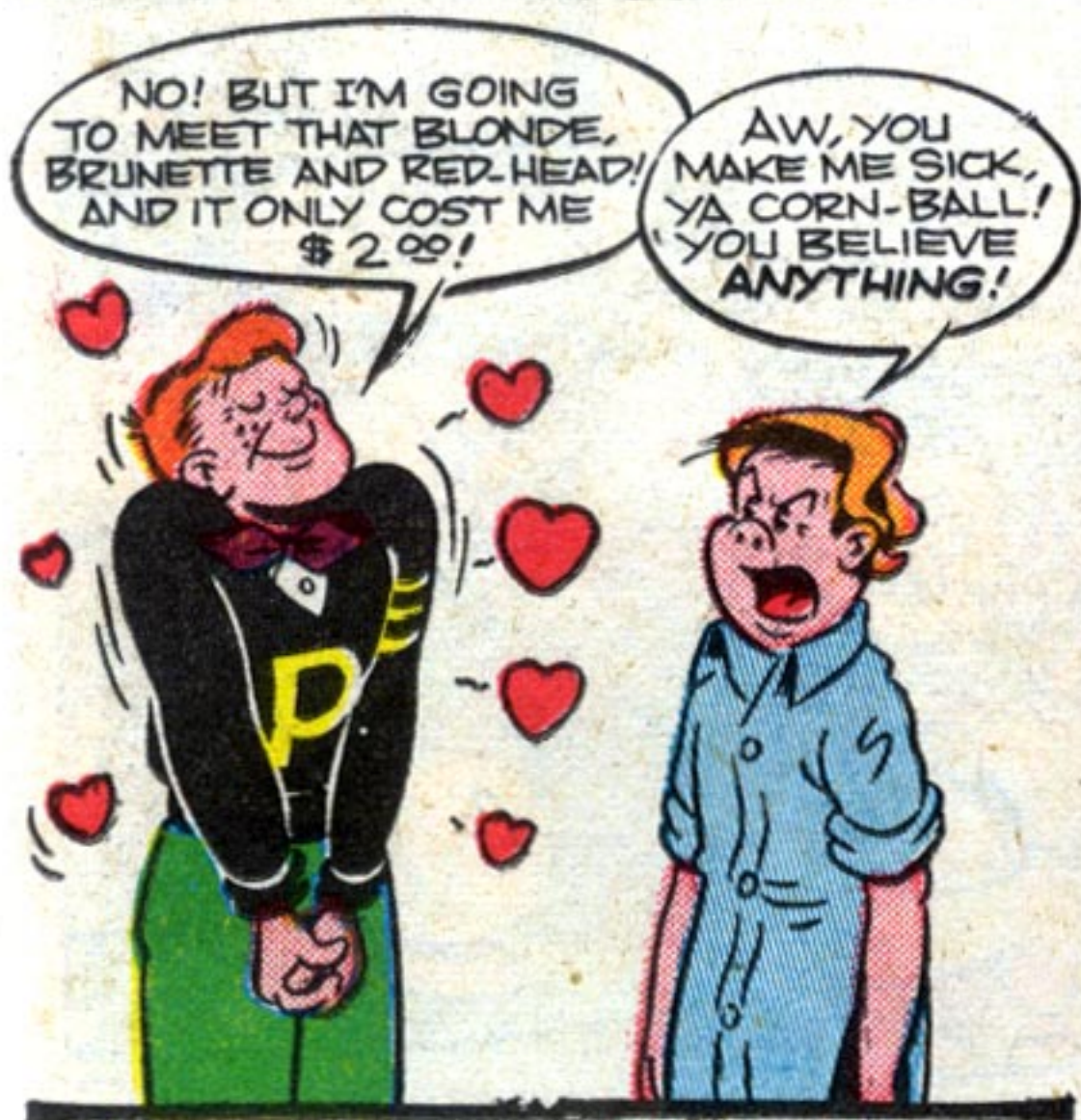
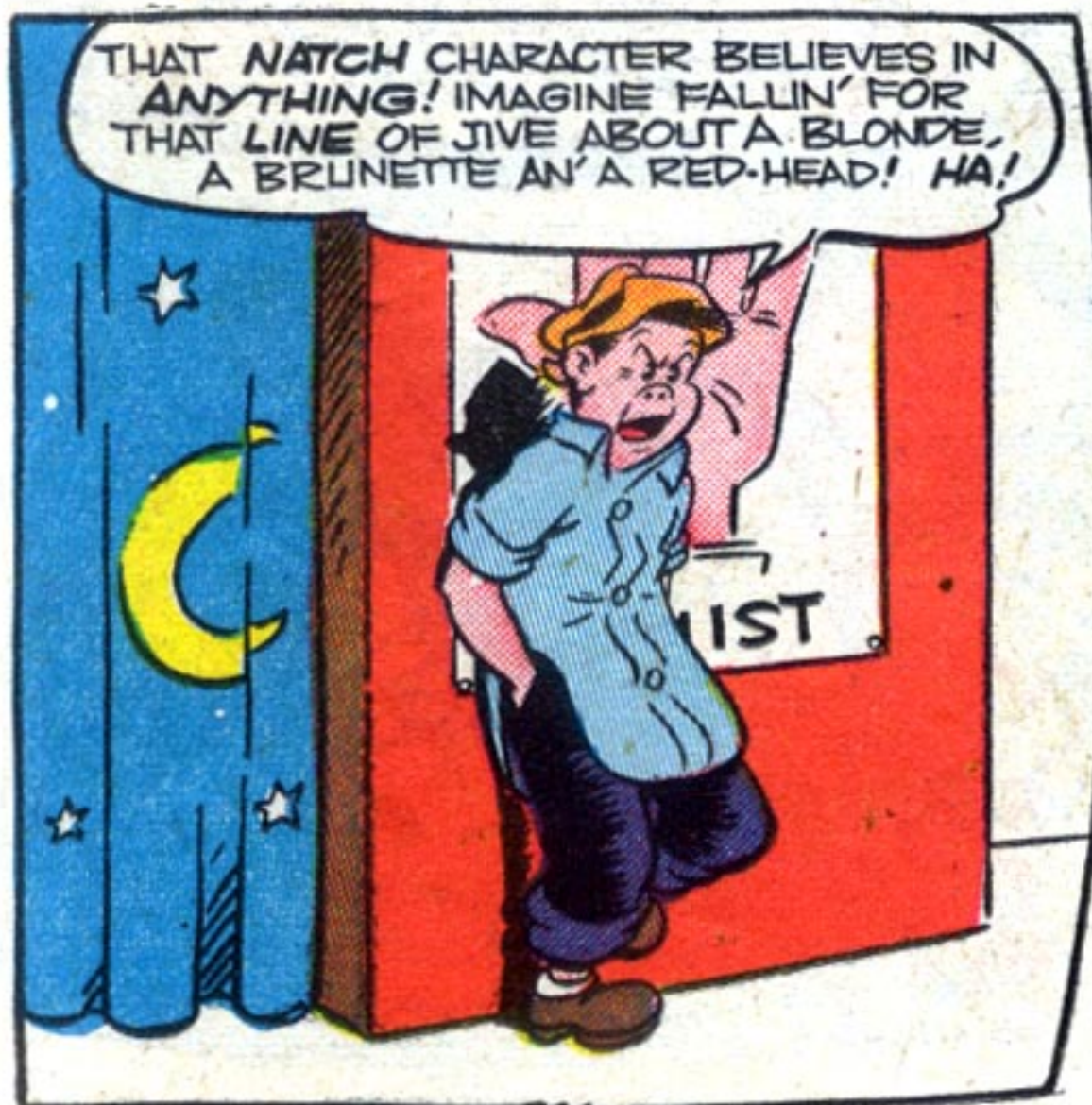
LET'S GO IN
AN' GET OUR
FORTUNES TOLD!

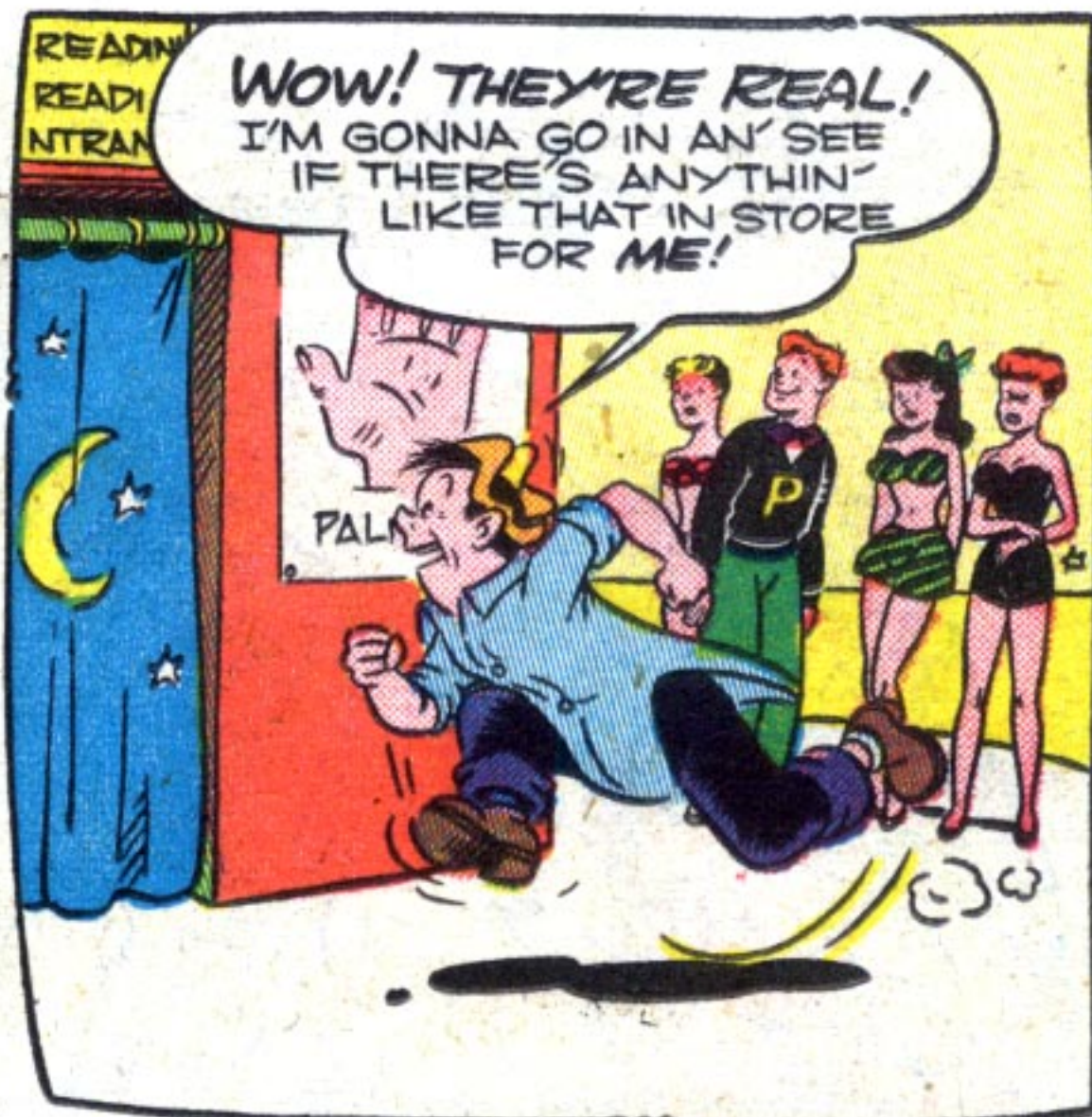
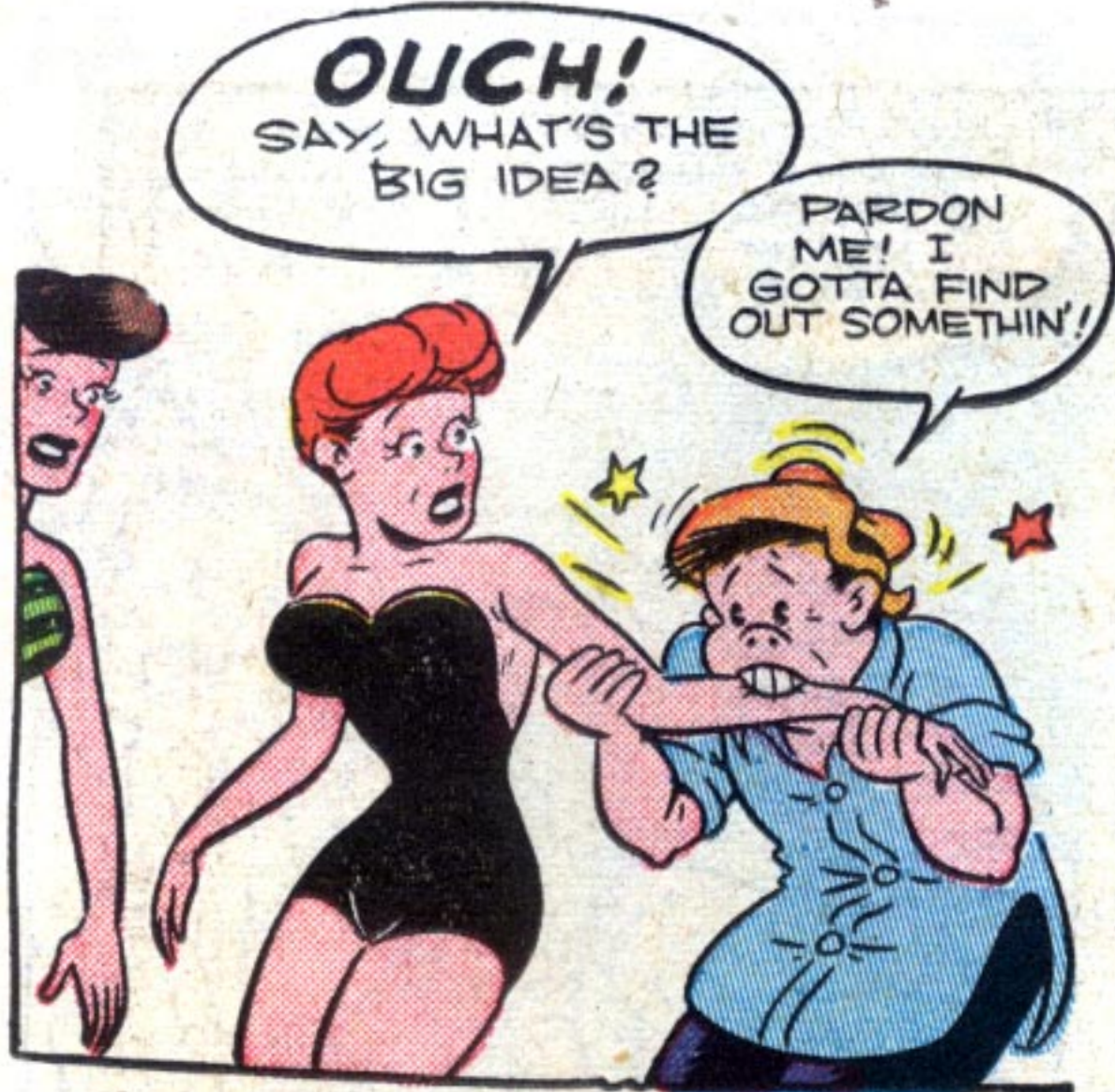
AW, NUTS! DO
YOU BELIEVE
IN THAT STUFF?
IT'S ALL A BIG
FAKE!

P









ALL RIGHT! I
WILL GEEVE YOU
ONE MORE CHANCE!
I WILL READ YOUR
PALM! BUT YOU
MUST BELIEVE!

SOLID, OLGA!
I
BELIEVE!



AH! I SEE! YOU
ARE GOING TO
MEET A SHORT,
STOUT GIRL, HER
NAME IS
PORTIA---

AW! WHAT'RE
YA TALKIN'
ABOUT? THAT
HAPPENED
SIX MONTHS
AGO!



THEN WHY
DON'T YOU WASH
YOUR HANDS
MORE OFTEN? HOW
CAN I TELL THE
PAST FROM THE
FUTURE?

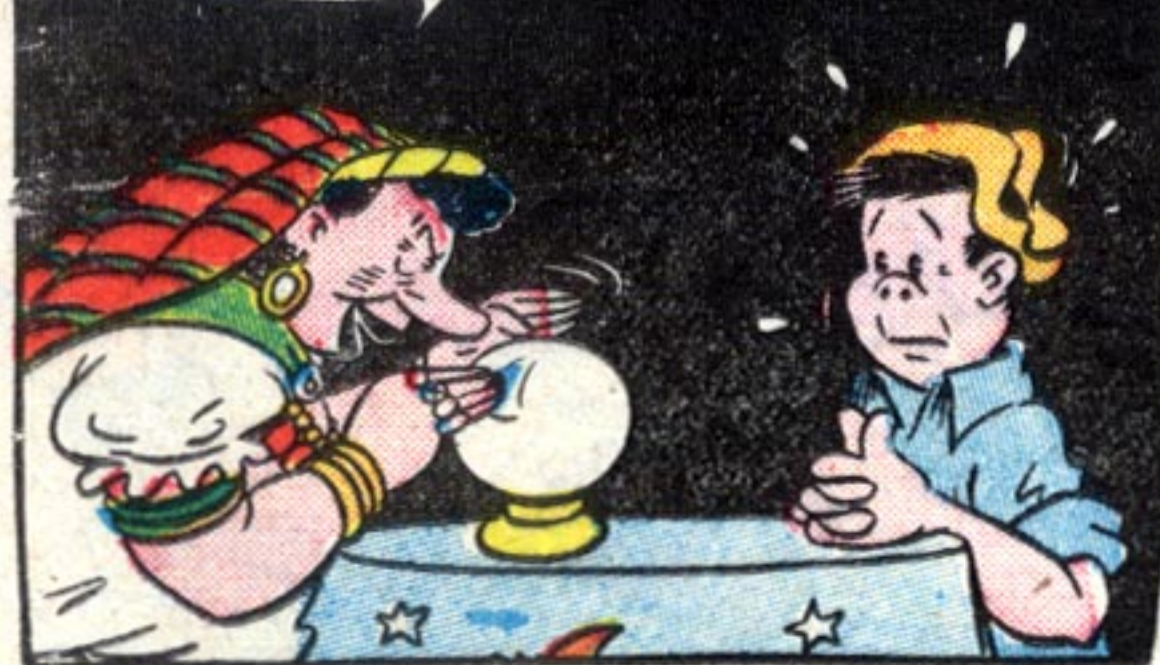


COME, WE TRY
THE CREESTAL
BALL AGAIN!

I HAVE
TO GET
RID OF
THIS
PEST!

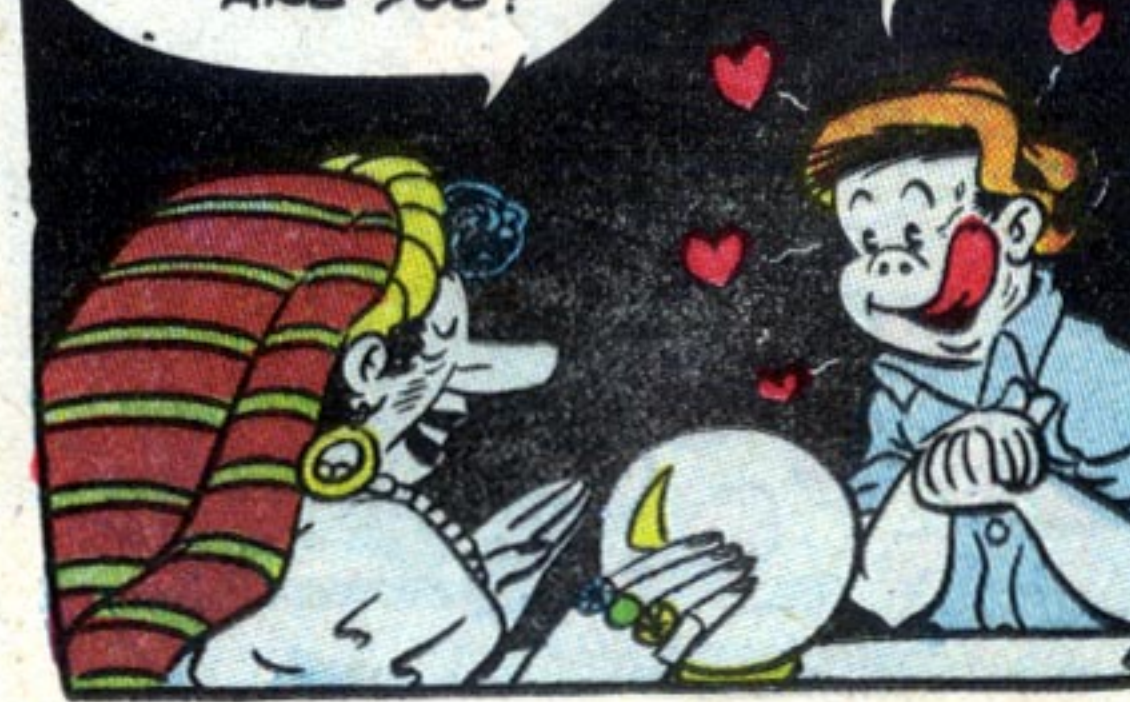
AH! I SEE
HER NOW! SHE IS
BEAUTIFUL! SHE IS
GORGEOUS! SHE IS
LIKE LANA TURNER,
BETTY GRABLE, AN'
DOROTHY LAMOUR, ALL
ROLL INTO
ONE!

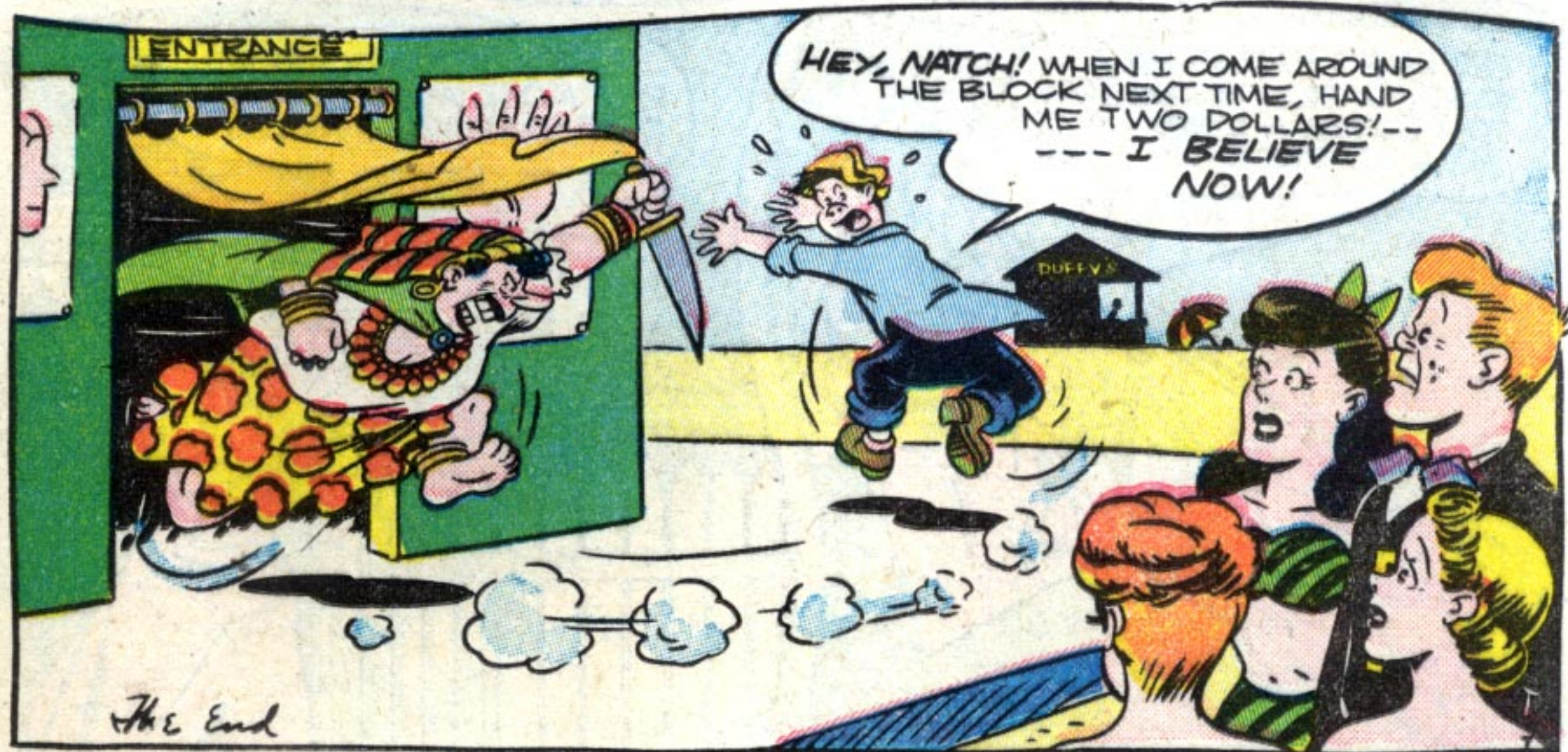
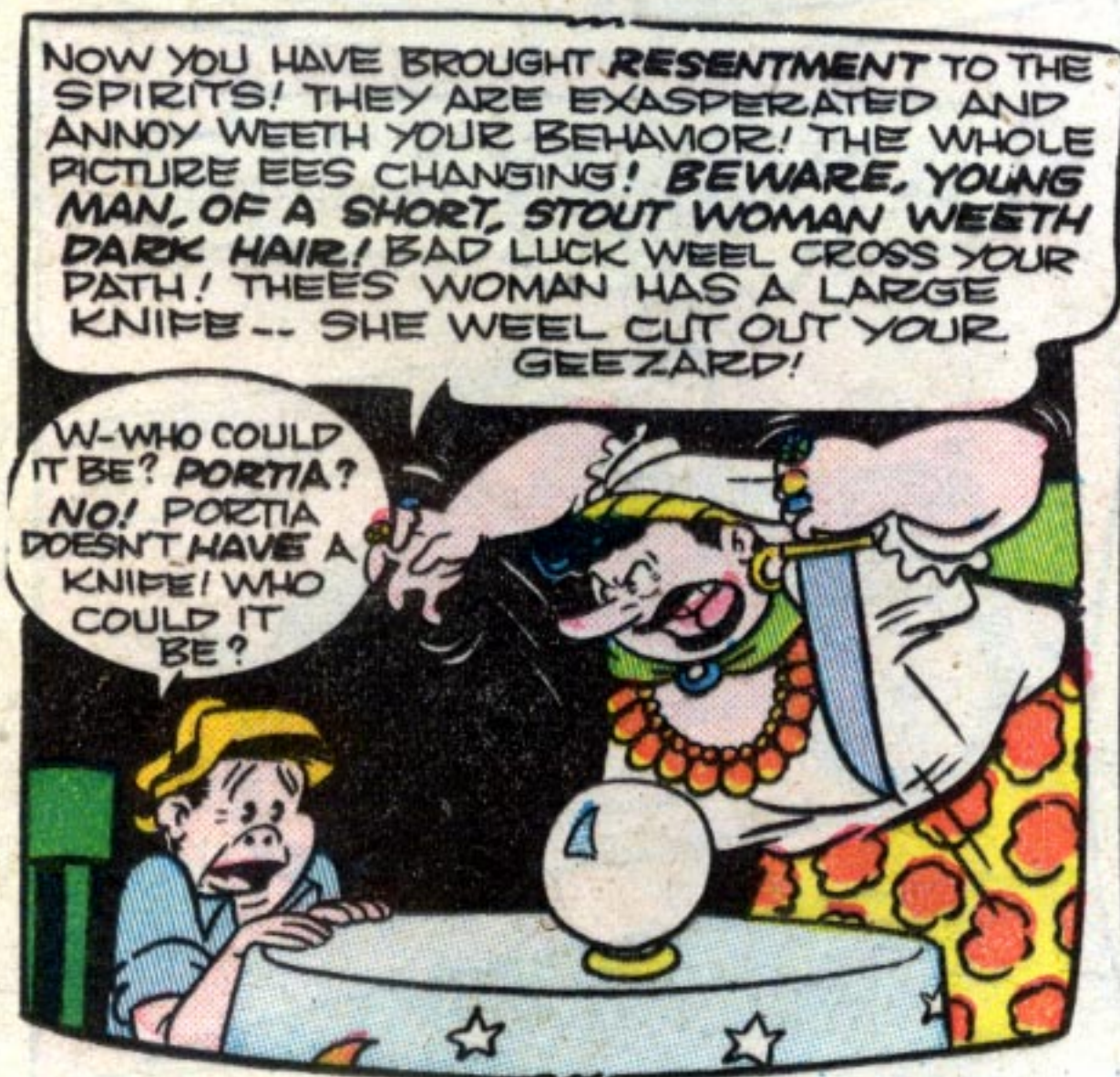
THAT'D MAKE
HER PRETTY
BIG, WOULDN'T
IT?



SHE IS
PRETTY LIKE
ANYTHING! SHE IS
CRAZY FOR YOU!
SHE IS DRIVE A
BIG SHINY CADILLAC!
"SHE IS CRYING,
JACKSON, WHERE
ARE YOU?"

HERE I AM,
DEAR! ---
WHEN DO I
MEET HER?

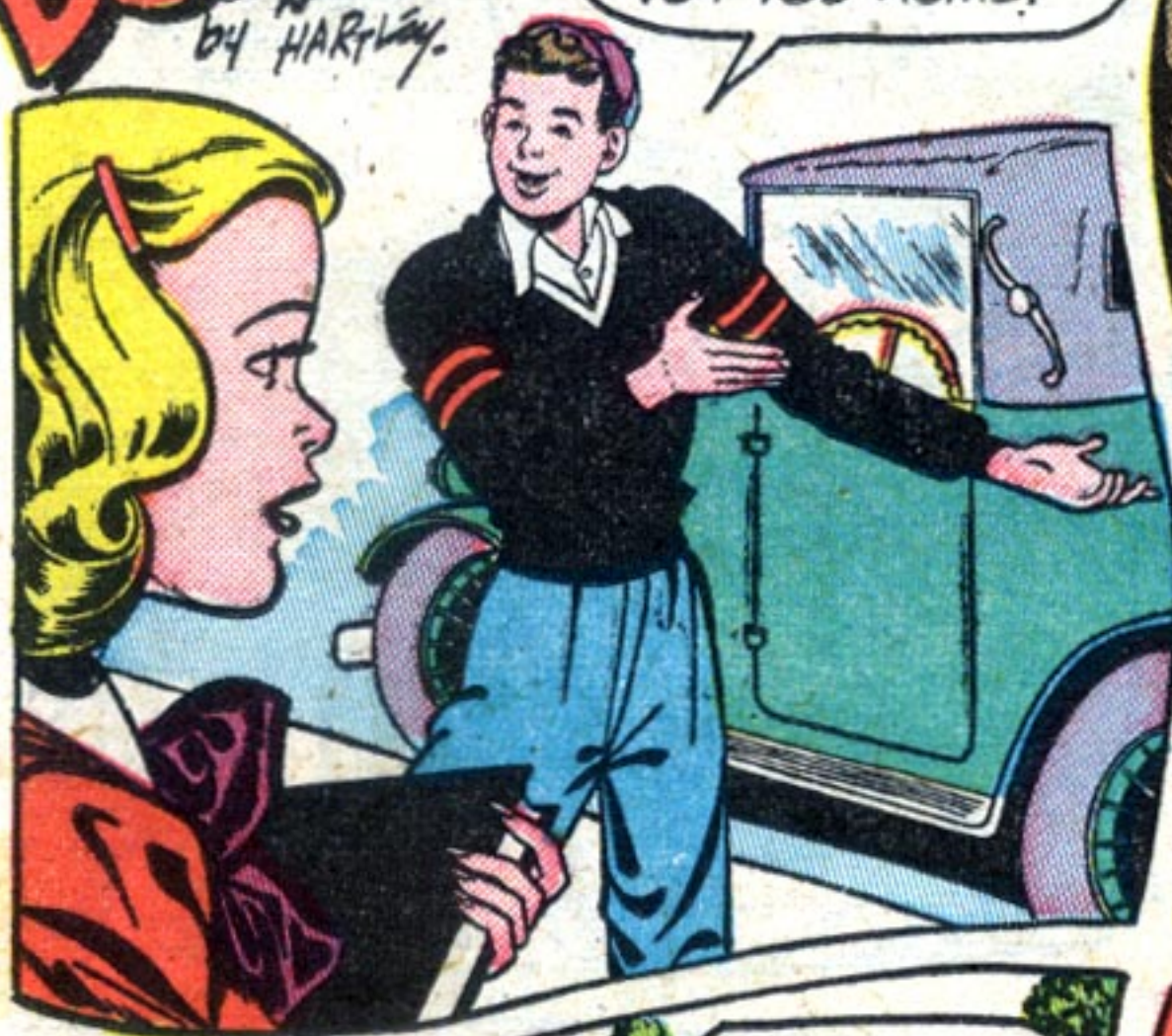




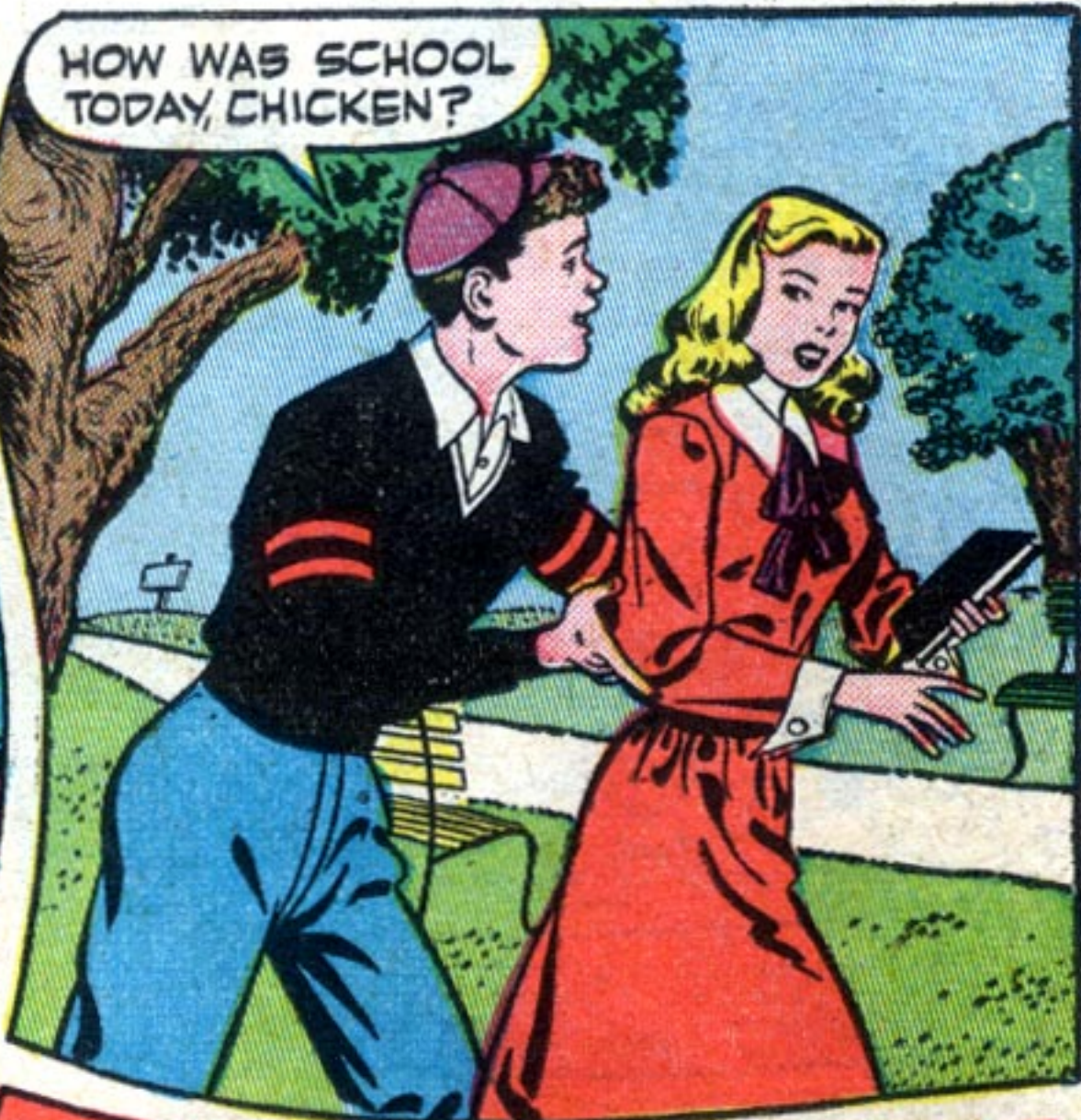
DONNA

by HARTLEY.

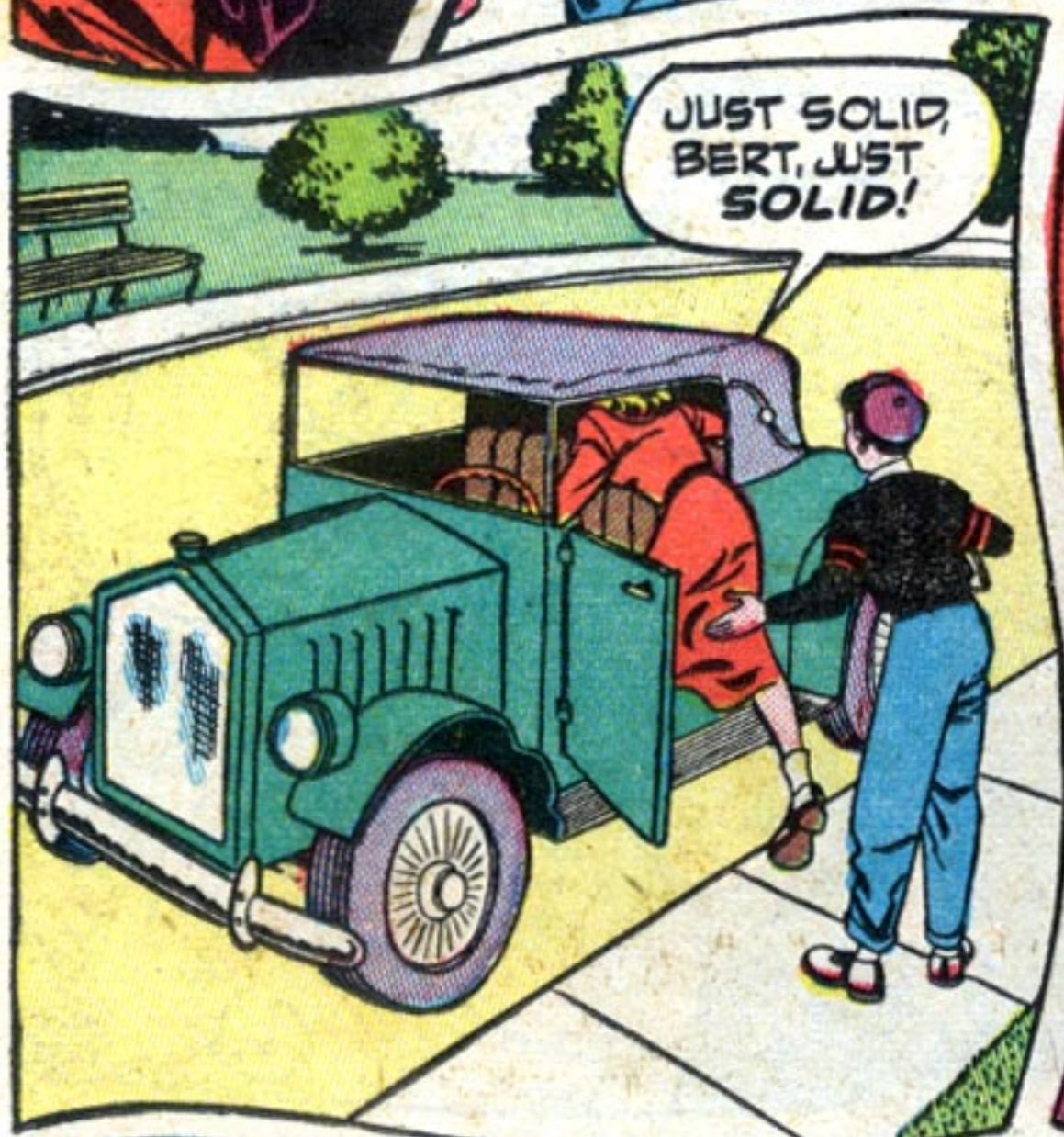
LEAP IN THE HEAP,
DONNA... I'LL CON-
VOY YOU HOME!



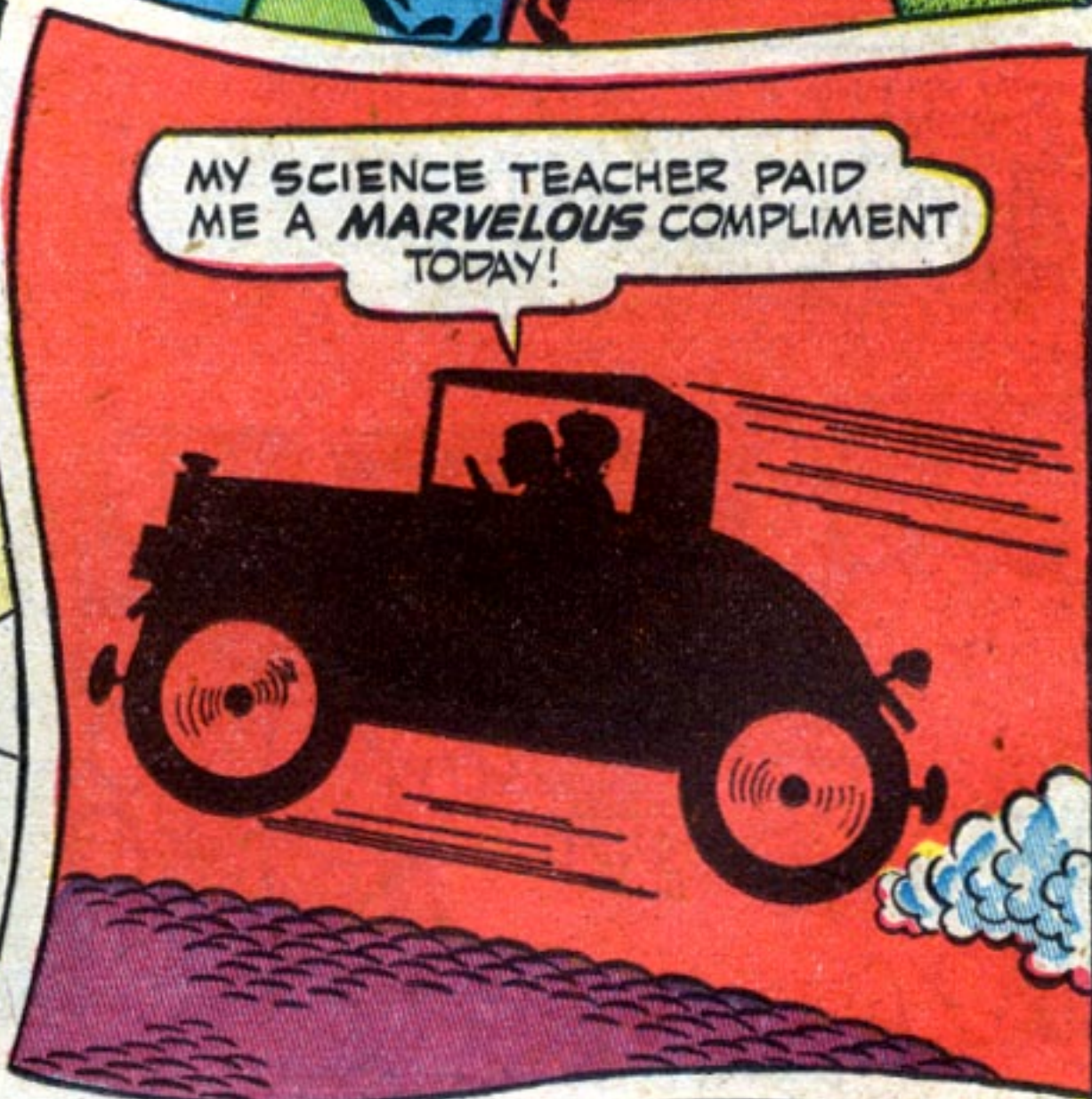
HOW WAS SCHOOL
TODAY, CHICKEN?



JUST SOLID,
BERT, JUST
SOLID!



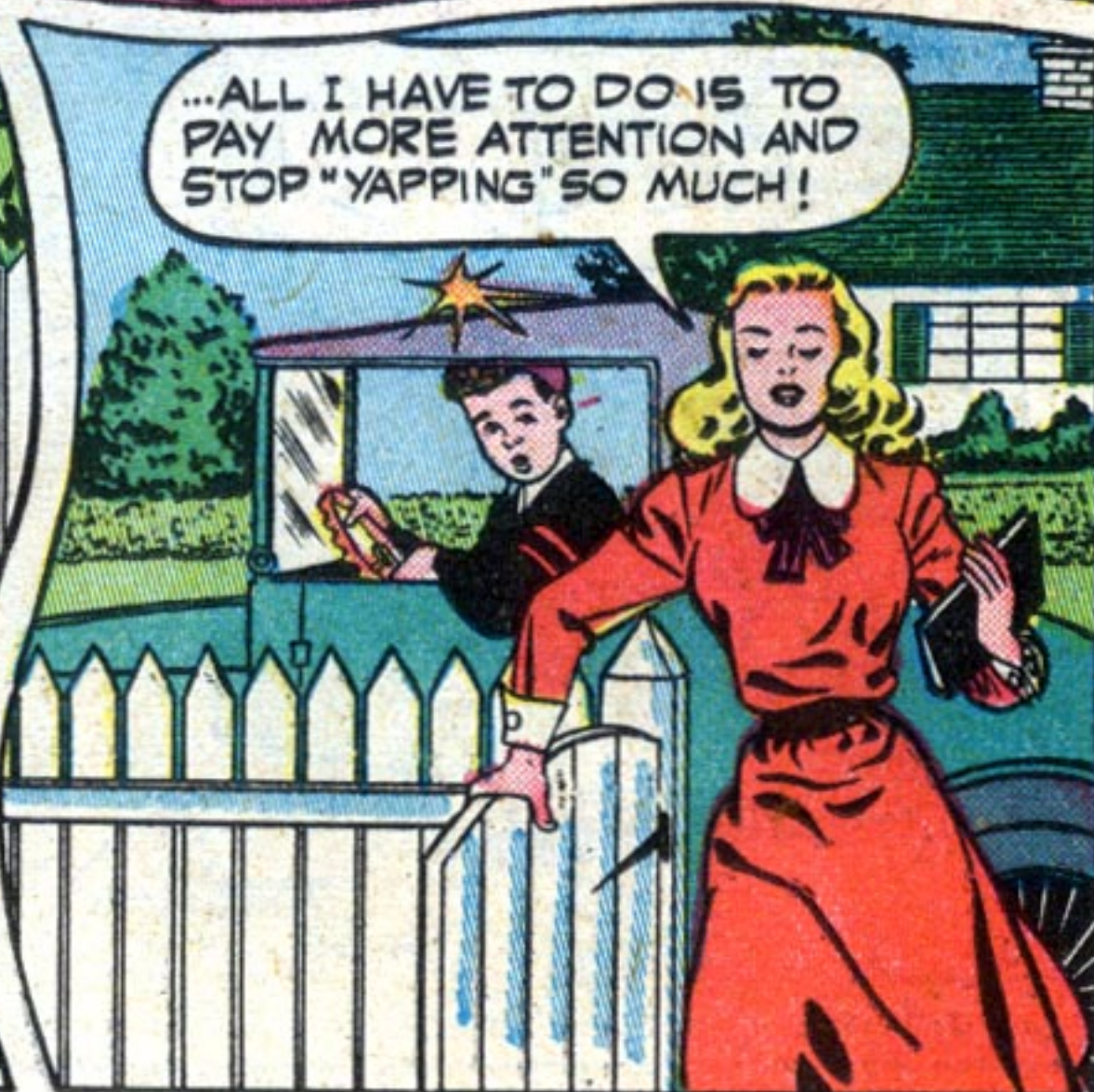
MY SCIENCE TEACHER PAID
ME A **MARVELOUS** COMPLIMENT
TODAY!



SHE SAID I HAD **EVERY**
QUALIFICATION NECESSARY
TO BECOME A **VERY**
BRILLIANT STUDENT!



...ALL I HAVE TO DO IS TO
PAY MORE ATTENTION AND
STOP "YAPPING" SO MUCH!



SHOES

I WONDER
HOW COME THEY
FIRST INVENTED
SHOES, JACKSON?

WOTTA BUBBLEHEAD!
... ANYBODY CAN
FIGURE **THAT** 'OUT!
THEY HADDA HAVE
SOMETHIN' TO THROW
AT **CATS** THAT YELLED
ON BACK FENCES!

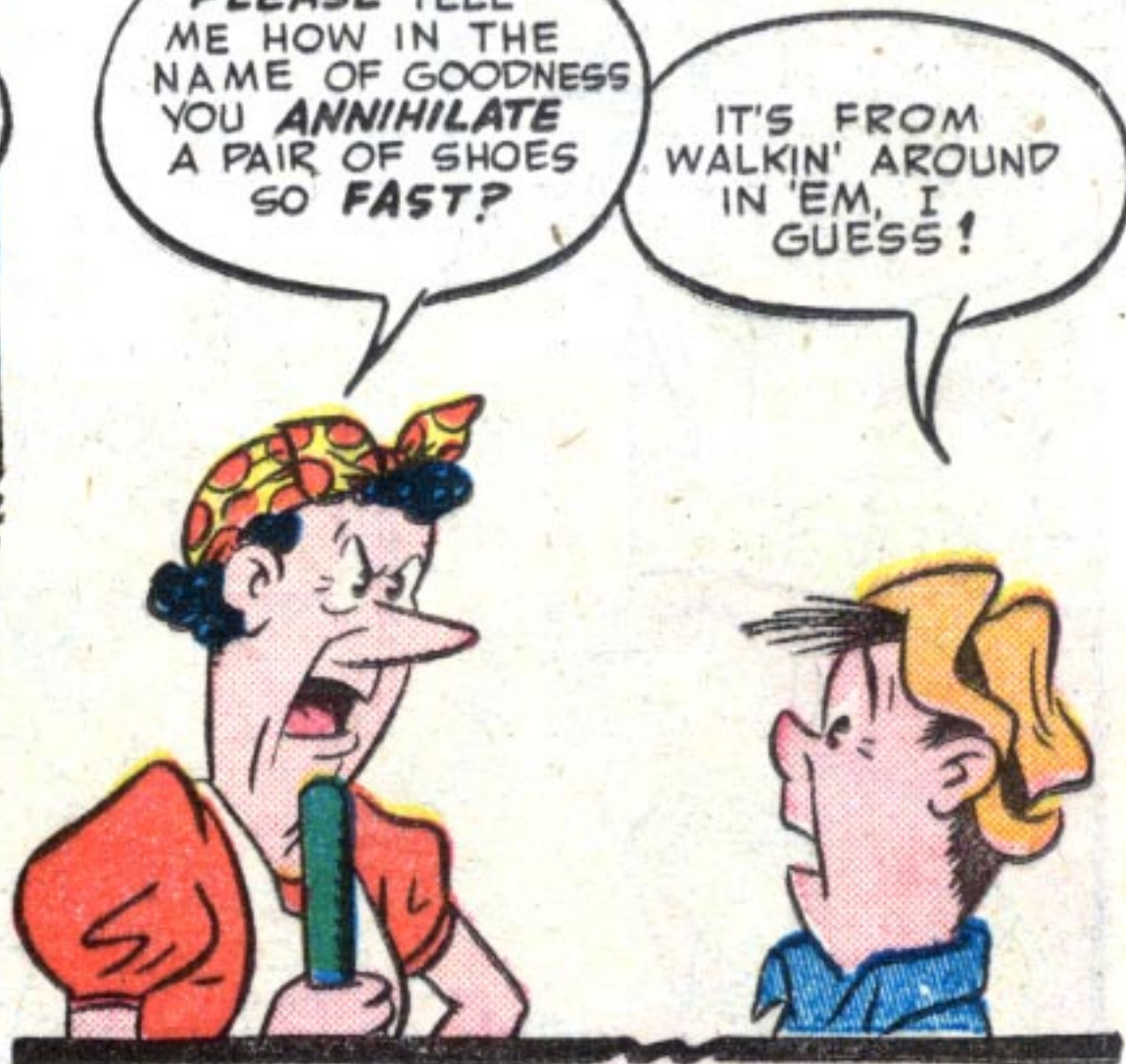
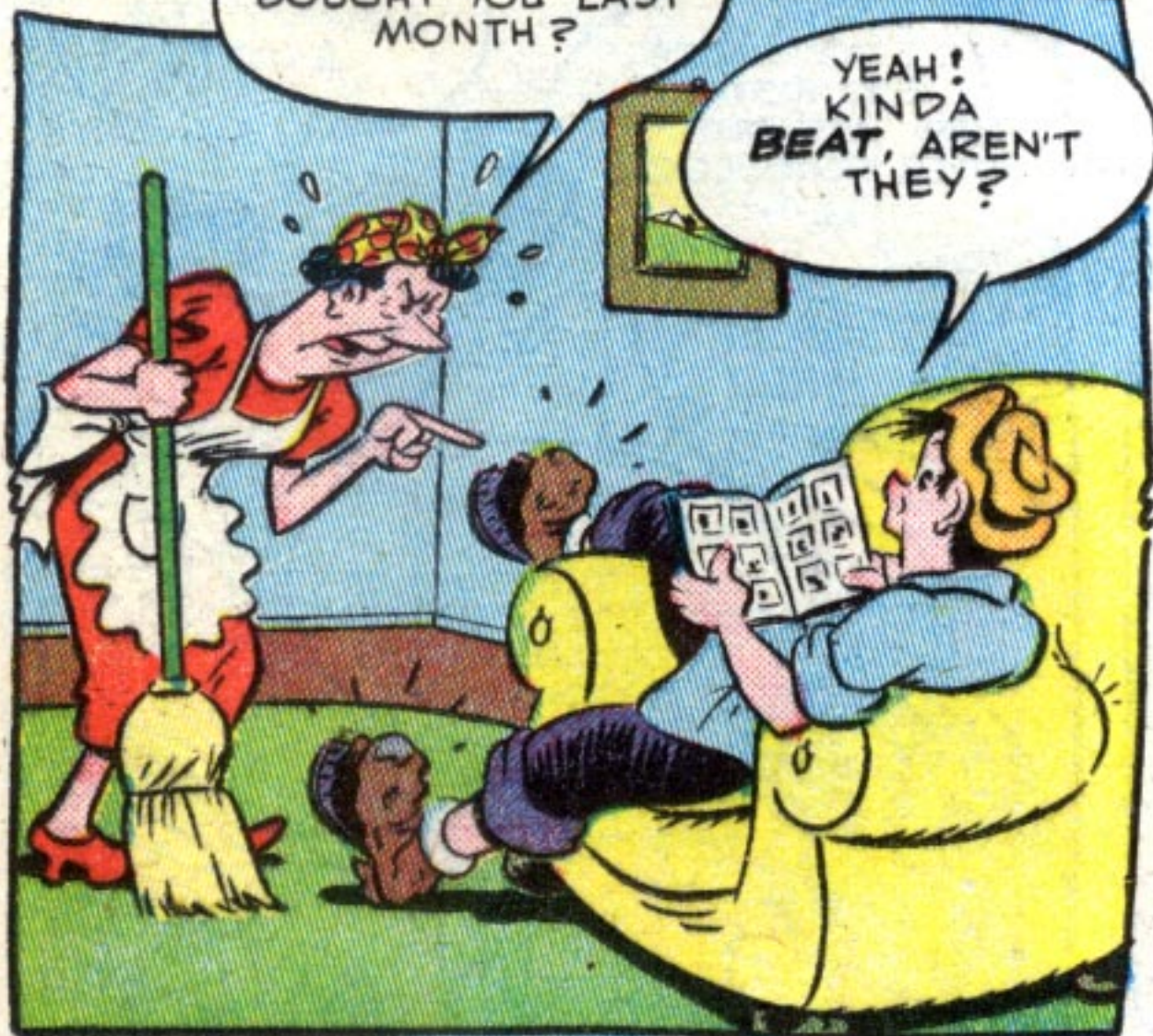
HUBB KARD +
BOB WICKERMAN

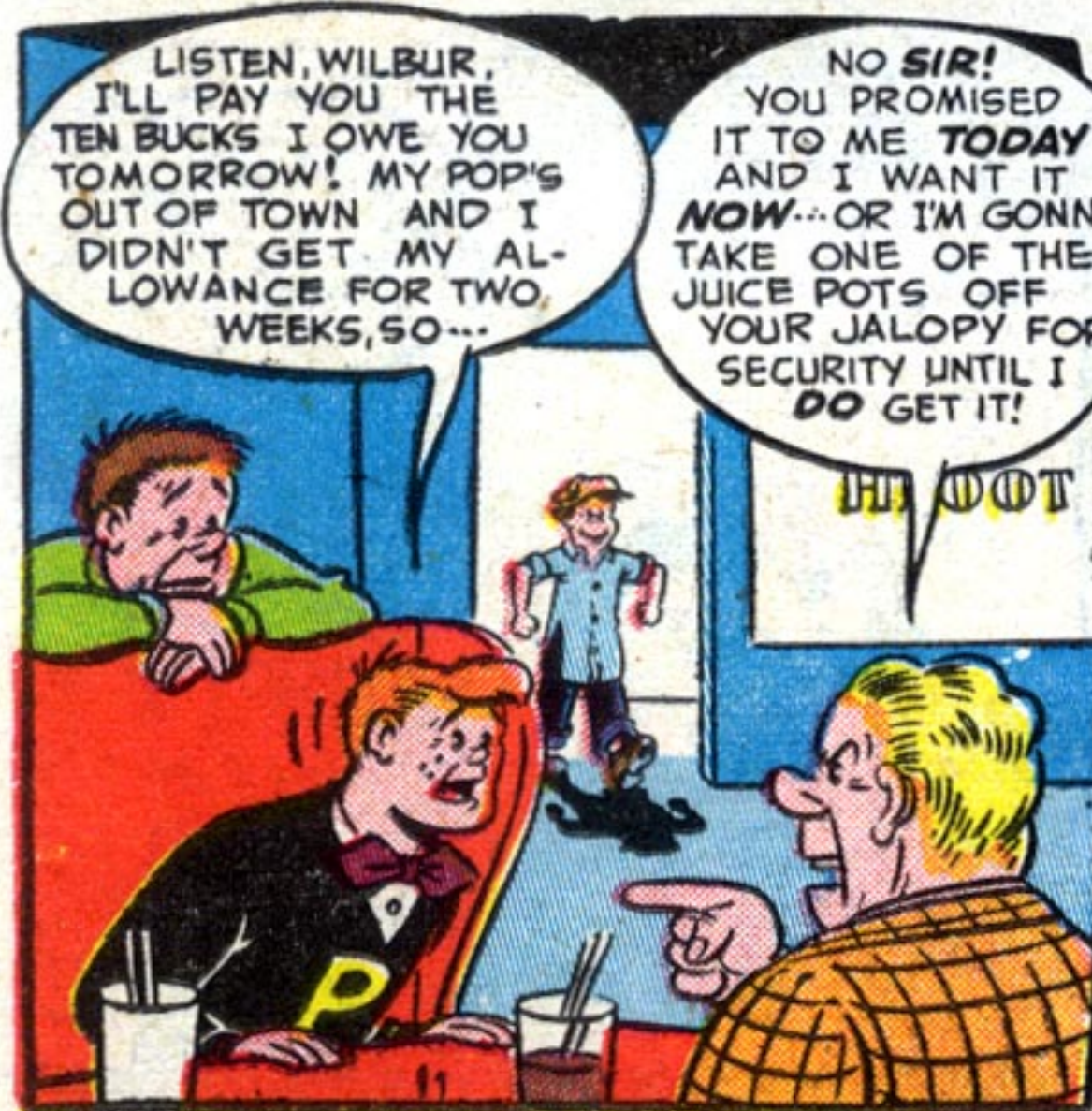
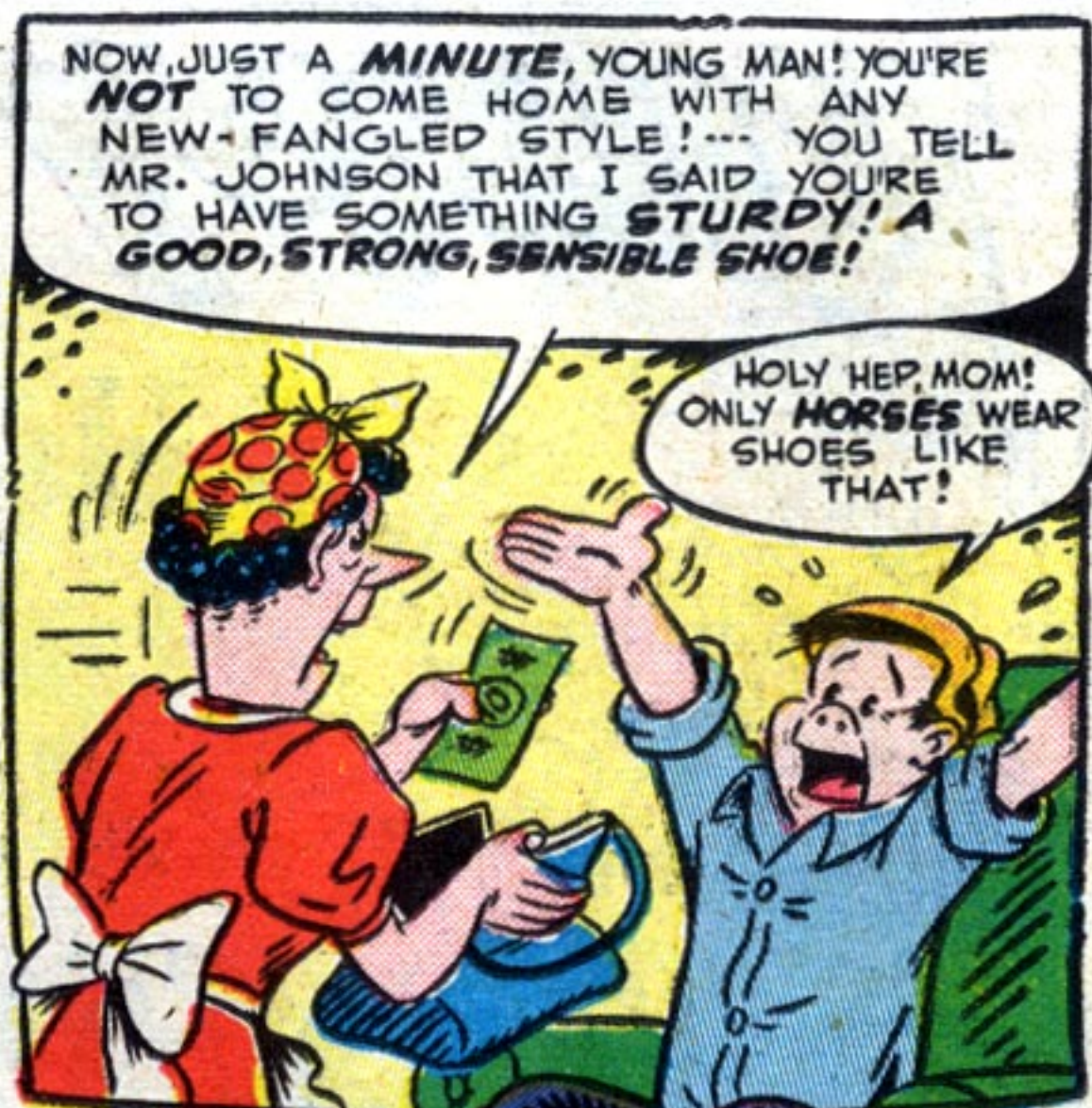
GOOD **GRIEF**,
SON! ARE **THOSE**
THE SHOES I
BOUGHT YOU LAST
MONTH?

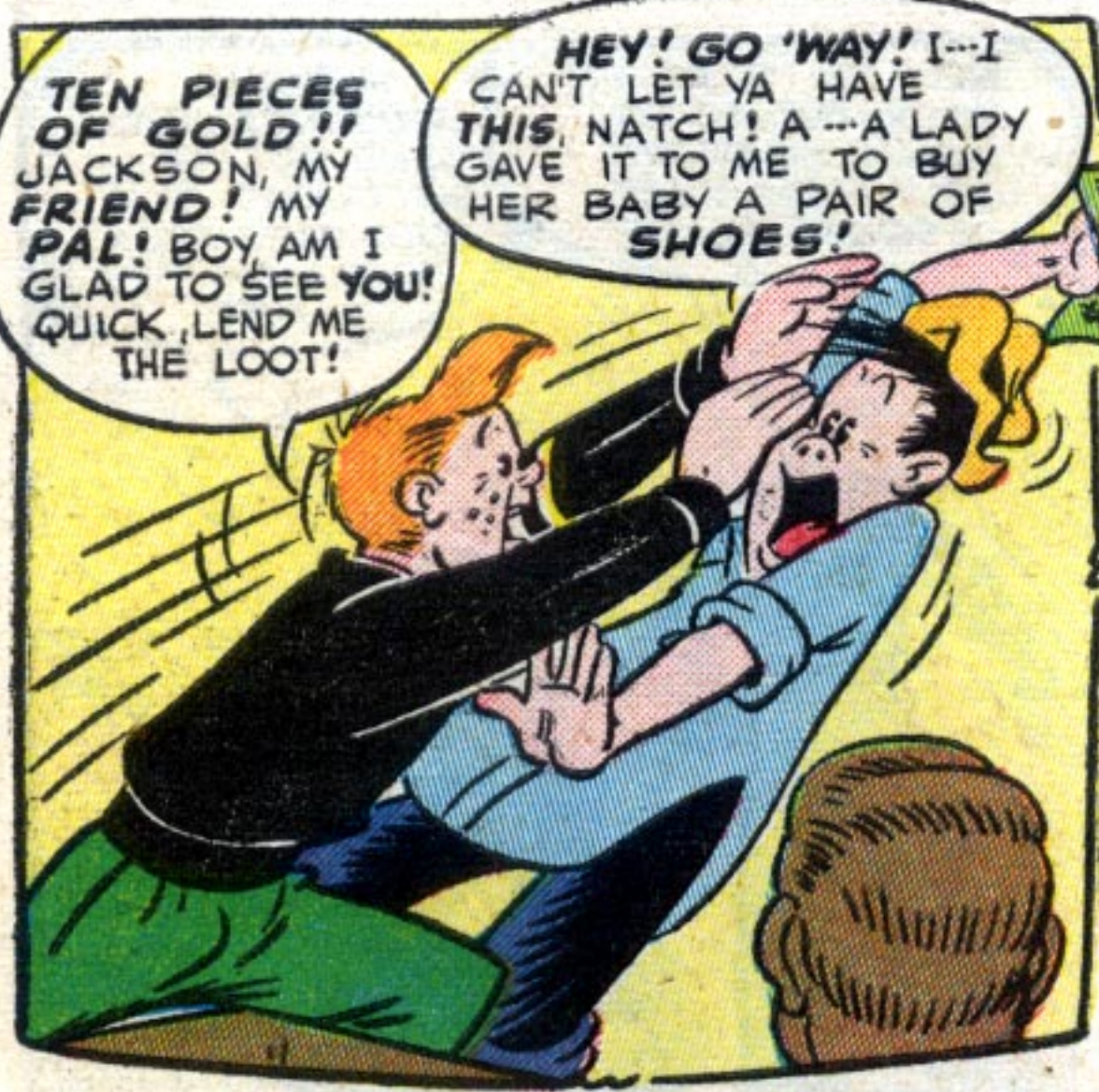
YEAH!
KINDA
BEAT, AREN'T
THEY?

WILL YOU
PLEASE TELL
ME HOW IN THE
NAME OF GOODNESS
YOU **ANNIHILATE**
A PAIR OF SHOES
SO **FAST?**

IT'S FROM
WALKIN' AROUND
IN 'EM, I
GUESS!

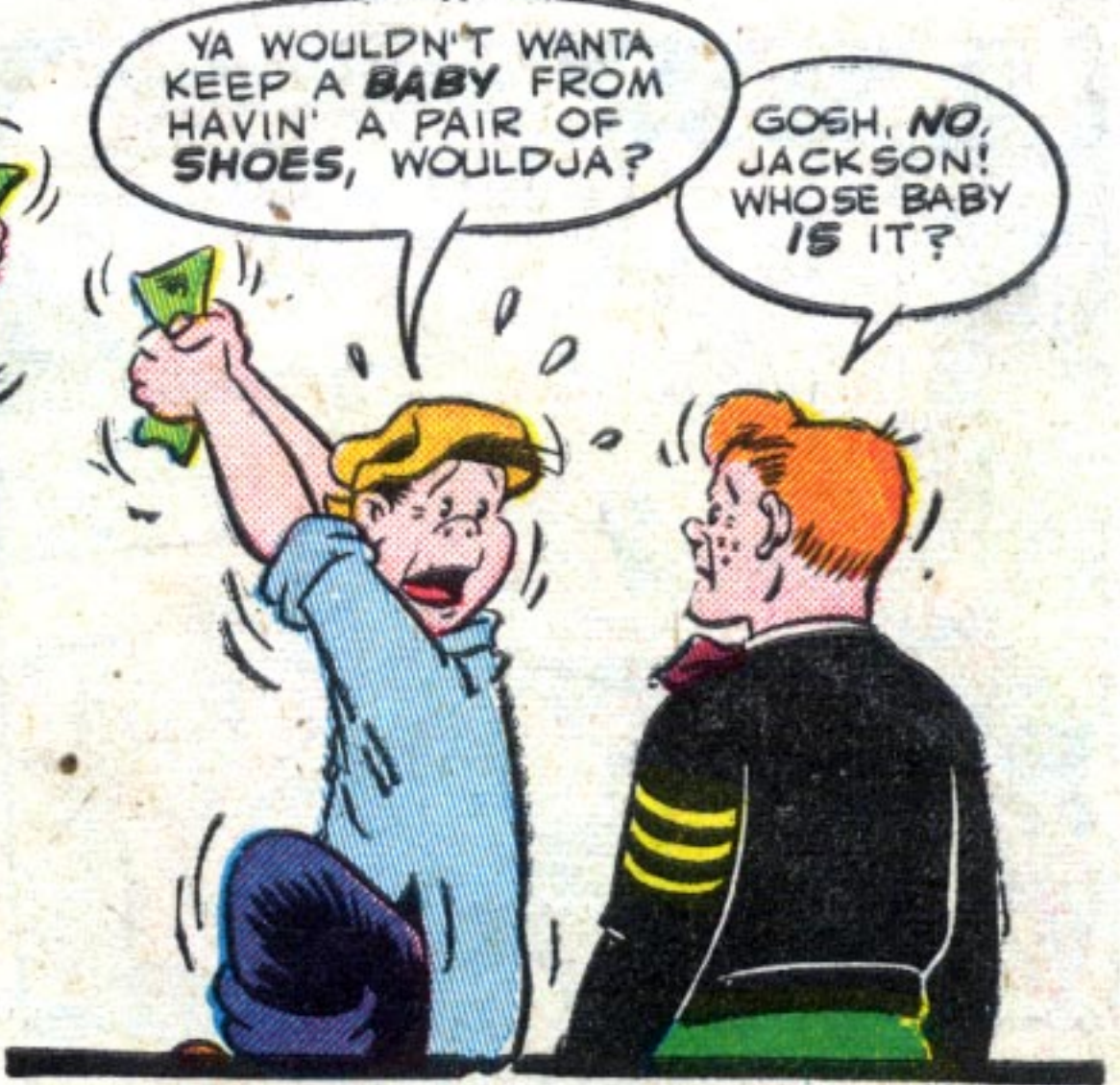






TEN PIECES OF GOLD!! JACKSON, MY FRIEND! MY PAL! BOY, AM I GLAD TO SEE YOU! QUICK, LEND ME THE LOOT!

HEY! GO 'WAY! I--I CAN'T LET YA HAVE THIS, NATCH! A--A LADY GAVE IT TO ME TO BUY HER BABY A PAIR OF SHOES!



YA WOULDN'T WANTA KEEP A BABY FROM HAVIN' A PAIR OF SHOES, WOULDJA?

GOSH, NO, JACKSON! WHOSE BABY IS IT?



MRS. JACKSON'S!

VERY FUNNY!... OKAY, I GUESS YOU THINK MORE OF A NEW PAIR OF SHOES THAN OUR FRIENDSHIP!

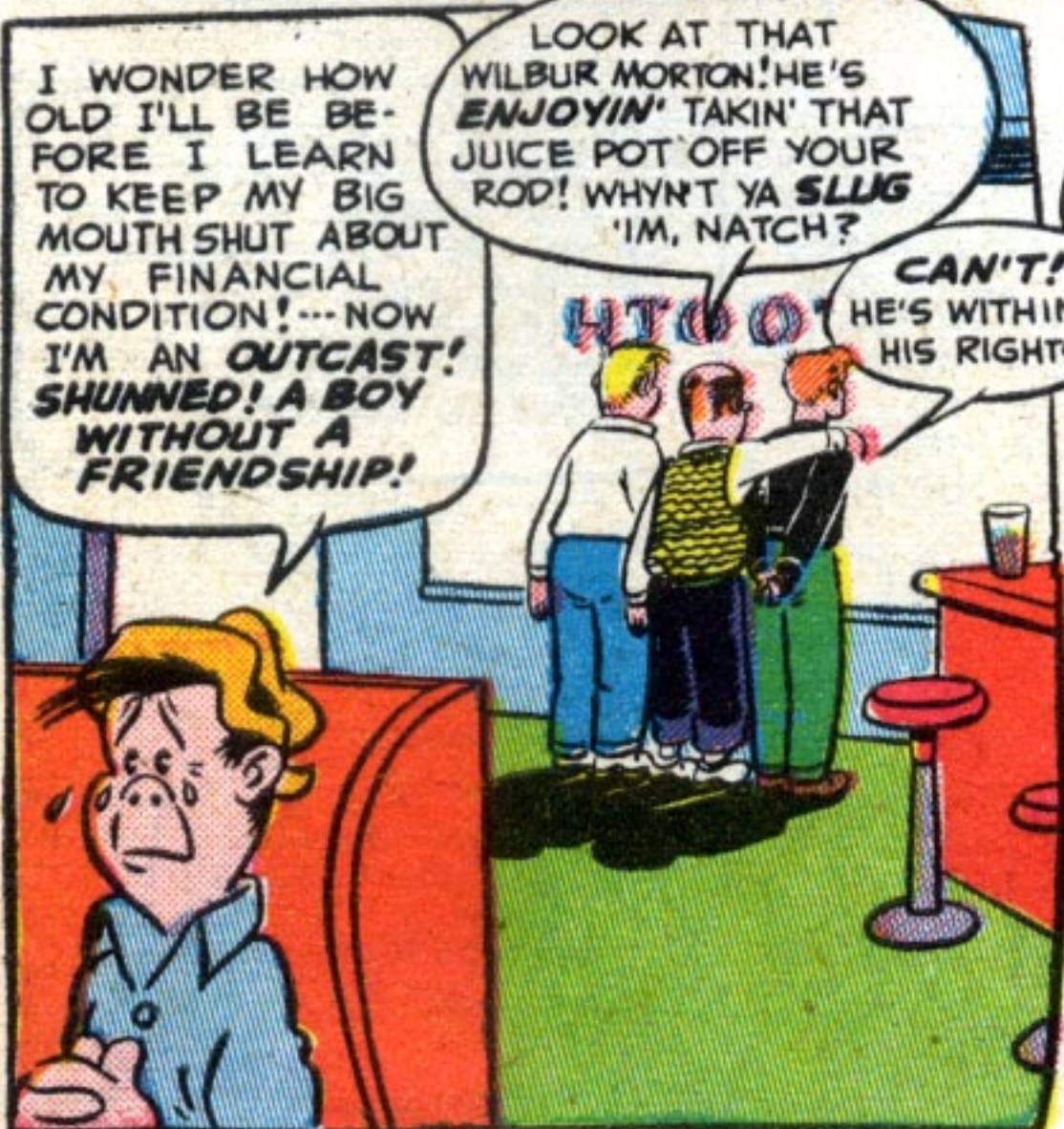


AW, FER CORN SAKE! IT ISN'T THAT, NATCH! IT'S THAT MY MOTHER SAID I HADDA GET A NEW PAIR OF SHOES, AND I--

LET'S GO SIT AT THE COUNTER! I DON'T LIKE THE PEOPLE I SEE BACK HERE!

FORGET IT!

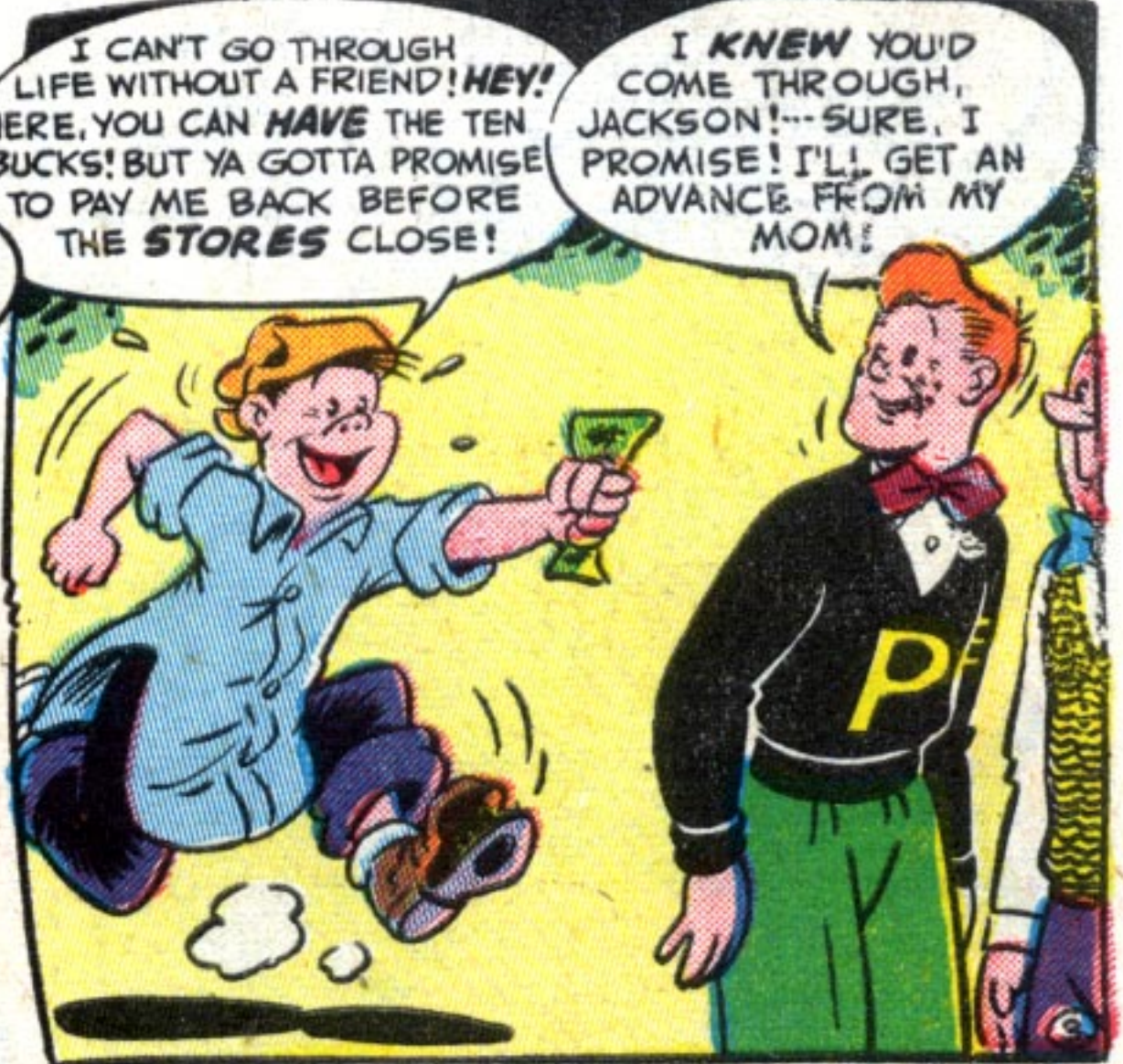
I'D GIVE IT TO YOU IF I HAD IT, NATCH!



I WONDER HOW OLD I'LL BE BEFORE I LEARN TO KEEP MY BIG MOUTH SHUT ABOUT MY FINANCIAL CONDITION!... NOW I'M AN OUTCAST! SHUNNED! A BOY WITHOUT A FRIENDSHIP!

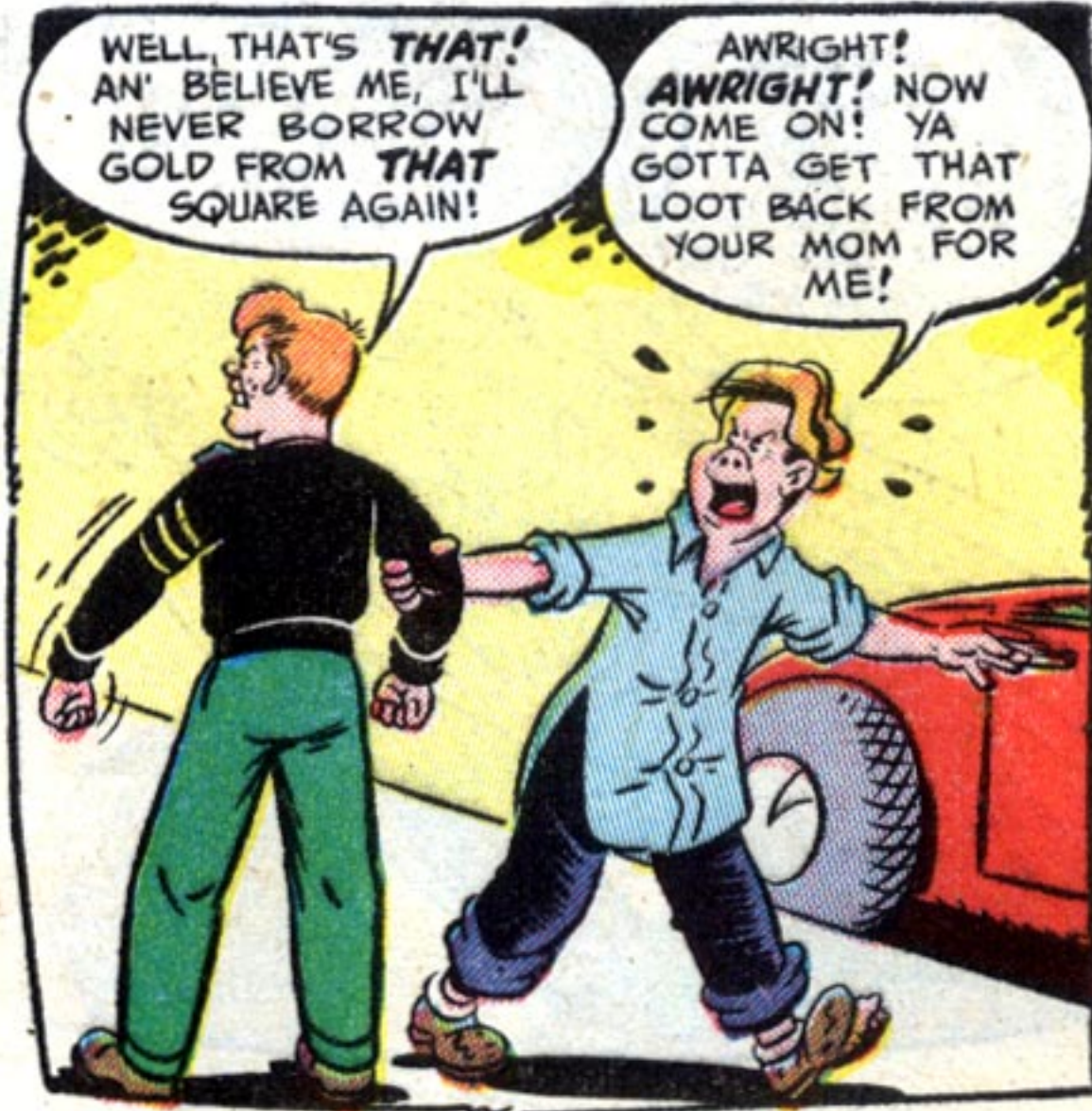
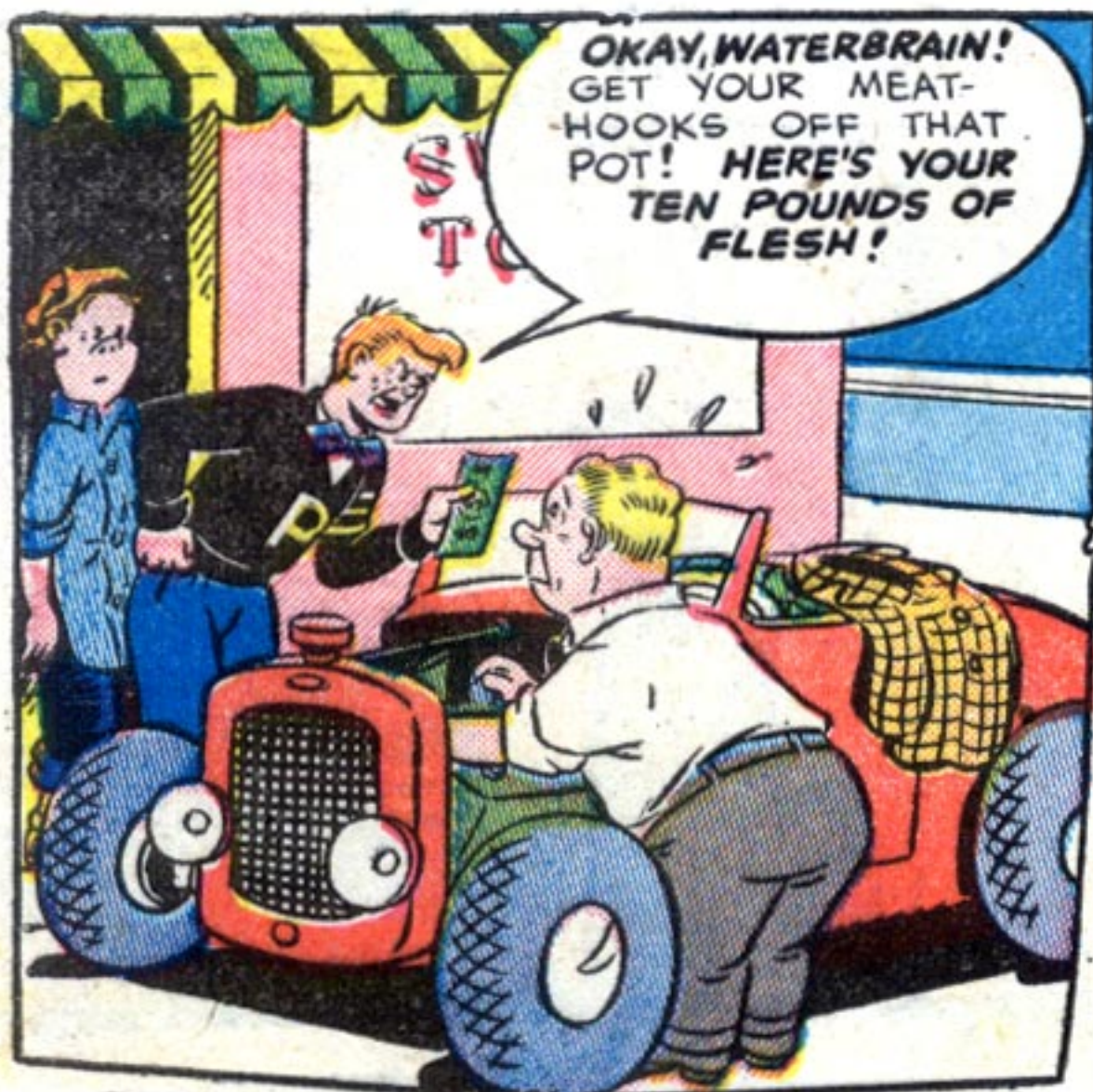
LOOK AT THAT WILBUR MORTON! HE'S ENJOYIN' TAKIN' THAT JUICE POT OFF YOUR ROD! WHYNT YA SLUG 'IM, NATCH?

HTOO! HE'S WITHIN HIS RIGHTS!



I CAN'T GO THROUGH LIFE WITHOUT A FRIEND! HEY! HERE, YOU CAN HAVE THE TEN BUCKS! BUT YA GOTTA PROMISE TO PAY ME BACK BEFORE THE STORES CLOSE!

I KNEW YOU'D COME THROUGH, JACKSON!... SURE, I PROMISE! I'LL GET AN ADVANCE FROM MY MOM!





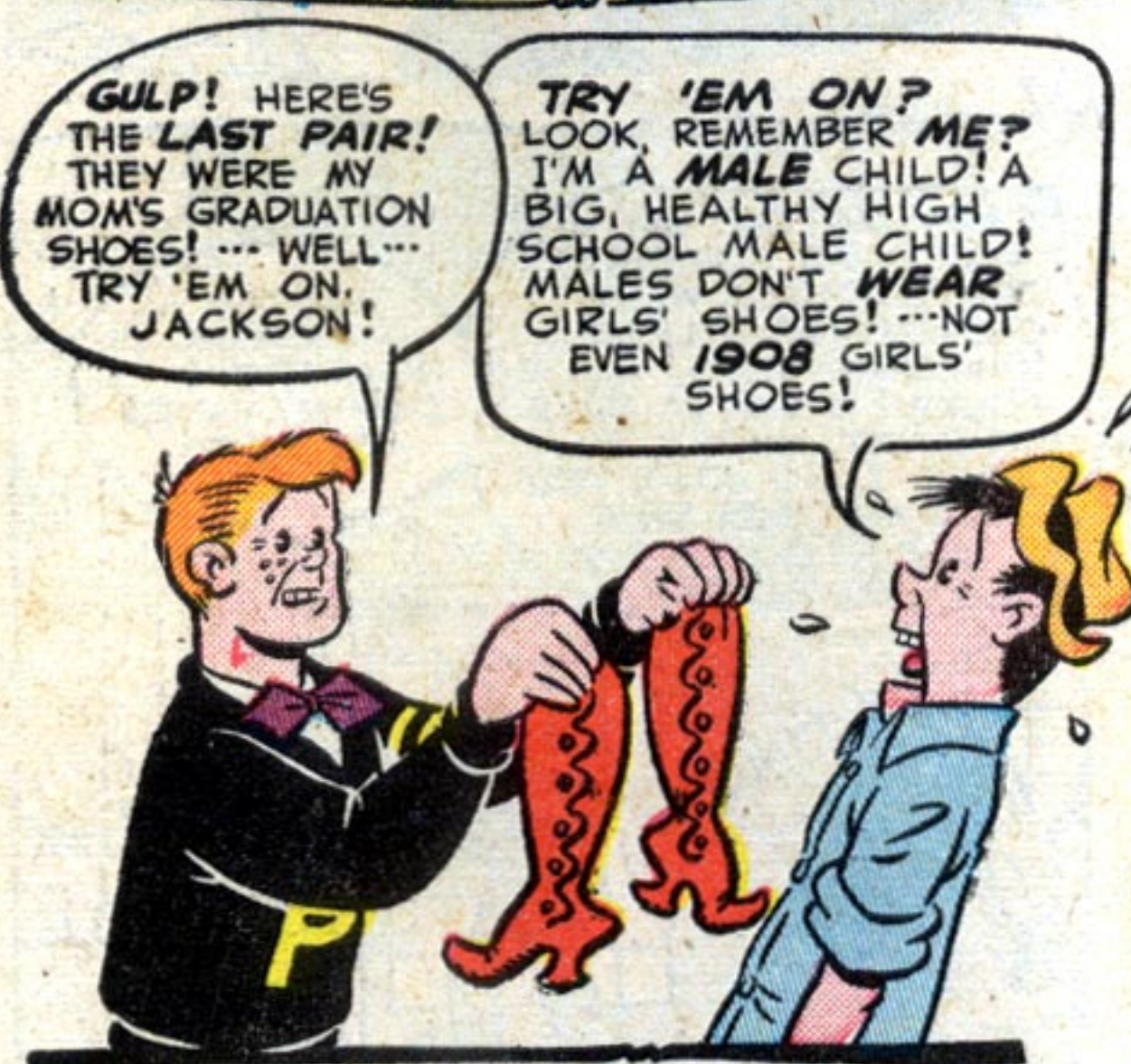
REMEMBER, NATCH, THEY GOTTA BE PRETTY NEW... AND ALSO STURDY! NOT TO MENTION **STYLISH!**

WE CAN'T MISS, JACKSON! THERE MUST BE **FIFTY** PAIR UP HERE!



WELL, HERE'S THE FIRST PAIR THAT HAVE EVEN **FIT** ME! ---I KINDA **LIKE 'EM** TOO, DON'T YOU?

YA BIRD-HEAD! THOSE ARE MY POP'S **HIP BOOTS!** YOU CAN'T HAVE **THOSE!**



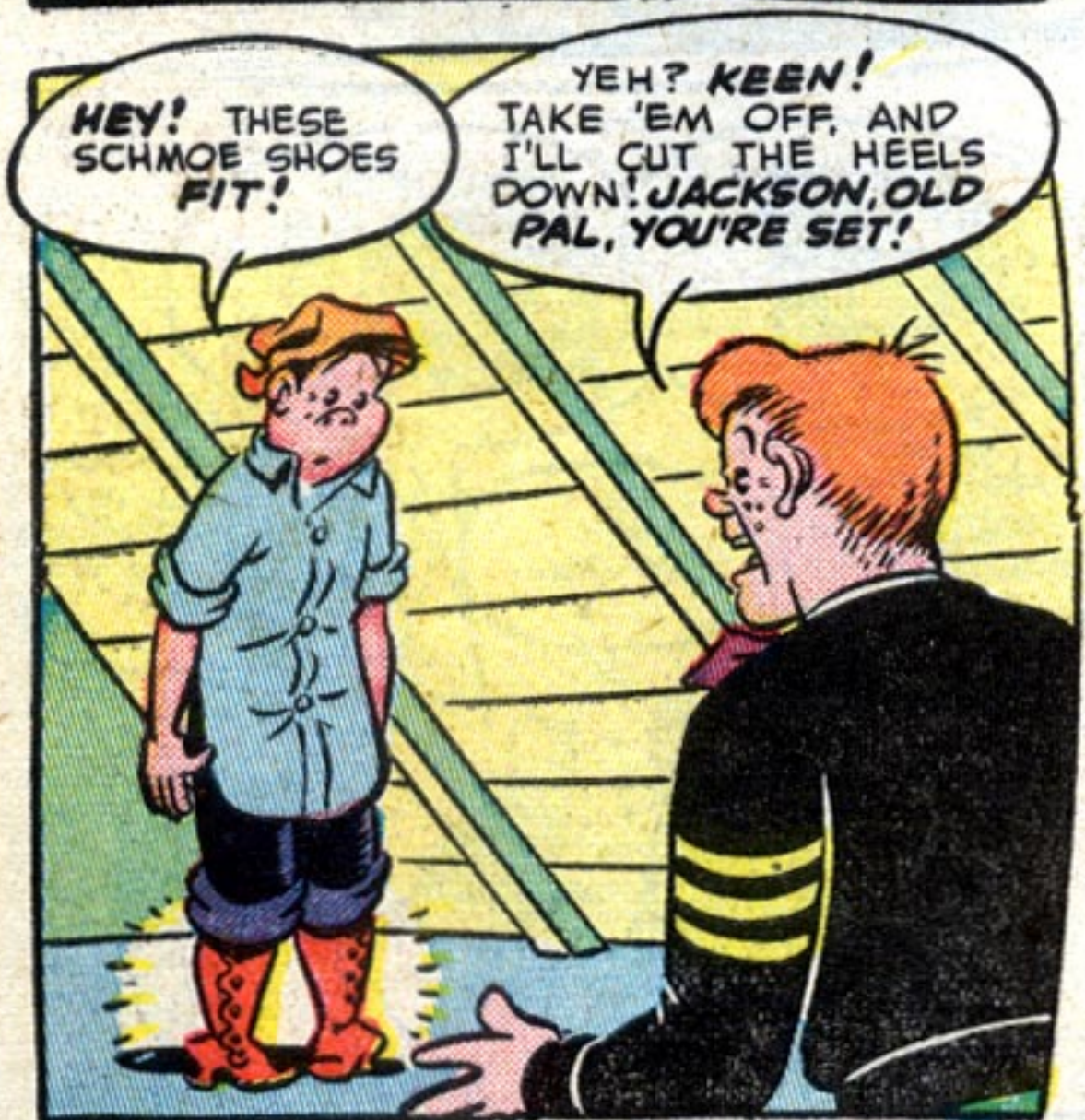
GULP! HERE'S THE **LAST PAIR!** THEY WERE MY MOM'S GRADUATION SHOES! ... WELL... TRY 'EM ON, JACKSON!

TRY 'EM ON? LOOK, REMEMBER ME? I'M A **MALE** CHILD! A BIG, HEALTHY HIGH SCHOOL MALE CHILD! MALES DON'T **WEAR** GIRLS' SHOES! ...NOT EVEN **1908** GIRLS' SHOES!



I'M TRYIN' TO **HELP** YA AND YER THROWIN' BARRIERS IN MY WAY! **NOW TRY 'EM ON!** IF THEY FIT YOU, WE CAN CUT THE HEELS DOWN! THAT'S BETTER'N WEARIN' YER **OLD** ONES HOME, ISN'T IT?

YEH! YEH! I'M TRYIN' 'EM ON! ... BUT I WISH I HAD MY TEN BUCKS BACK!



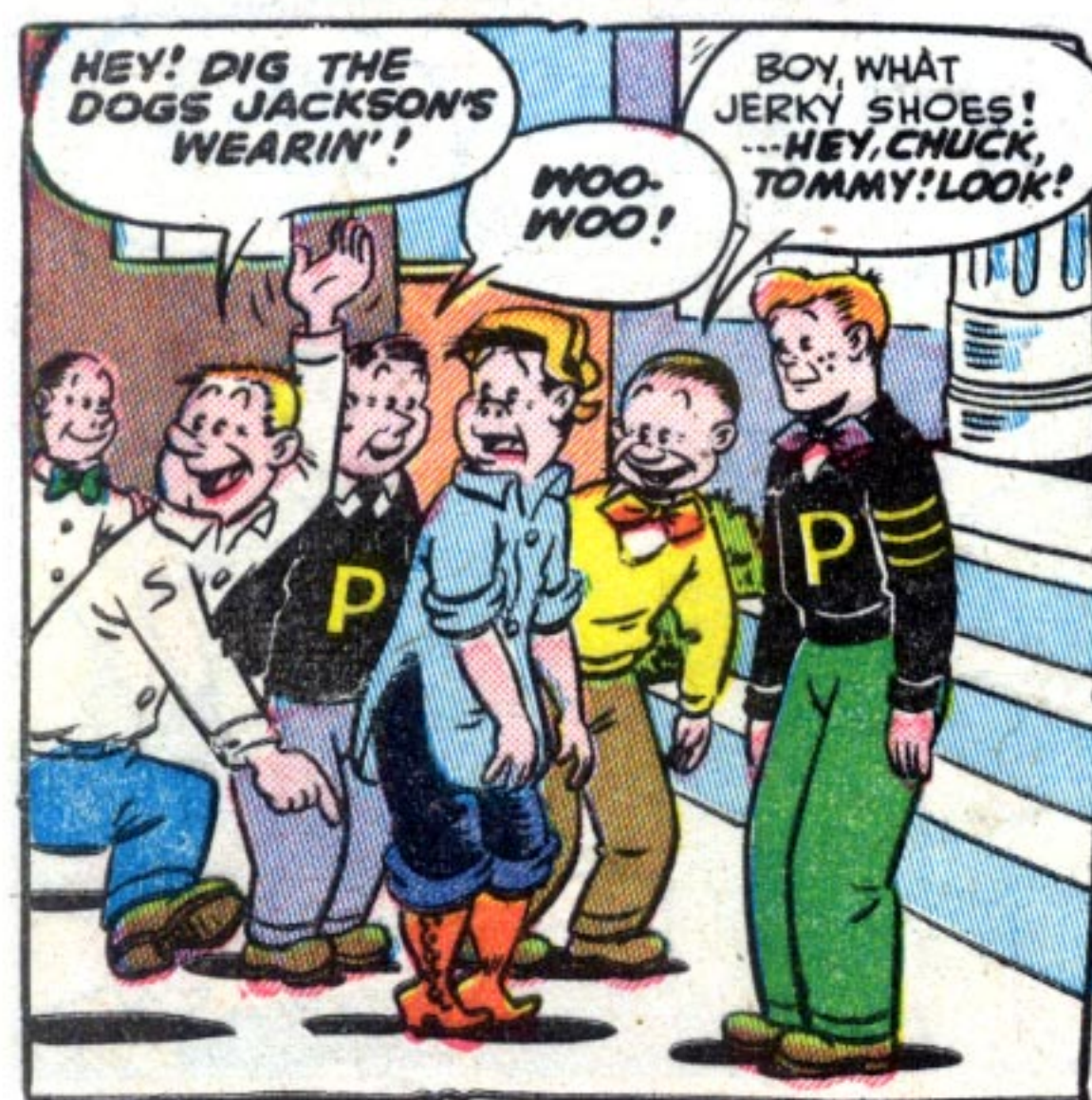
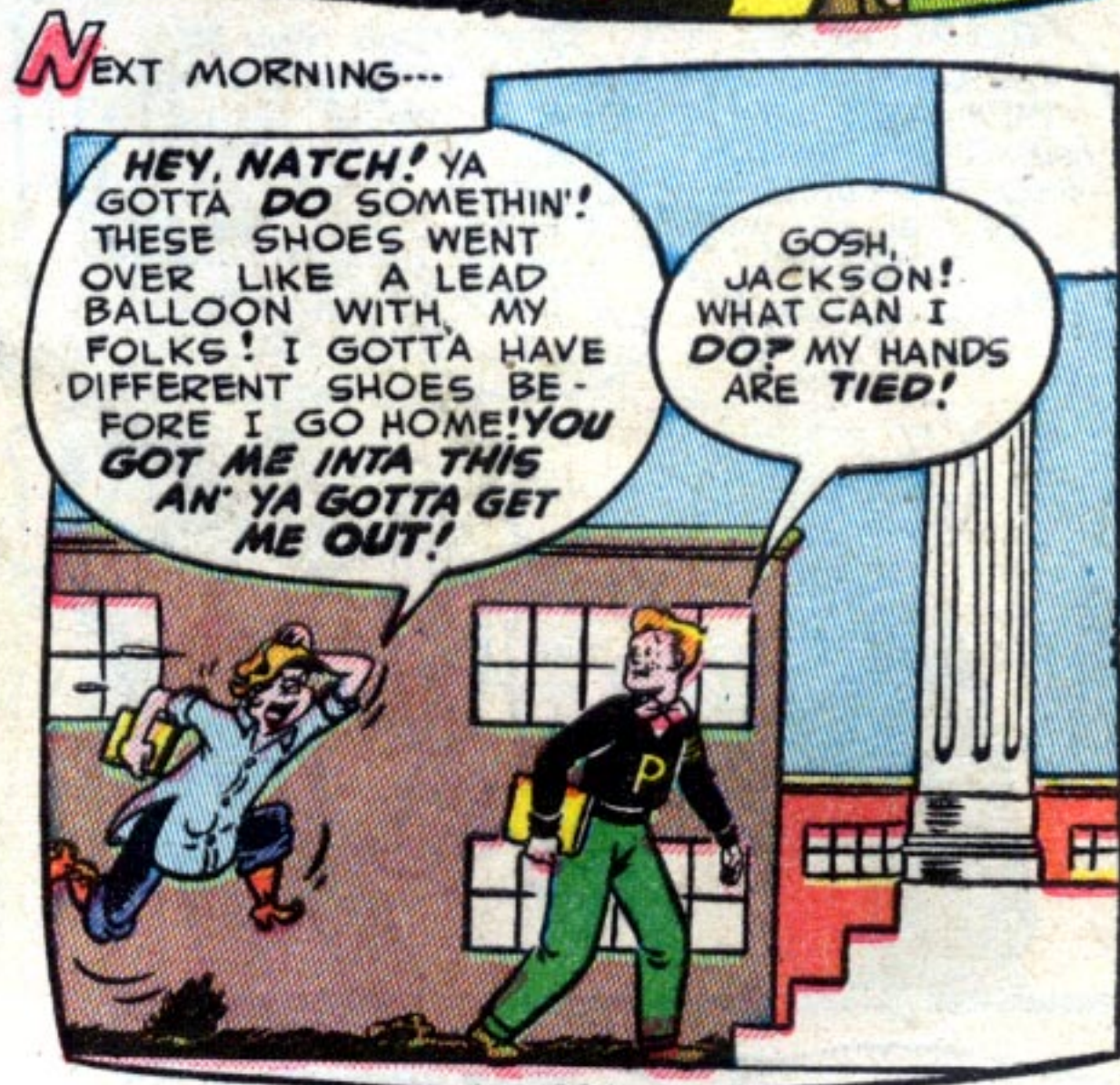
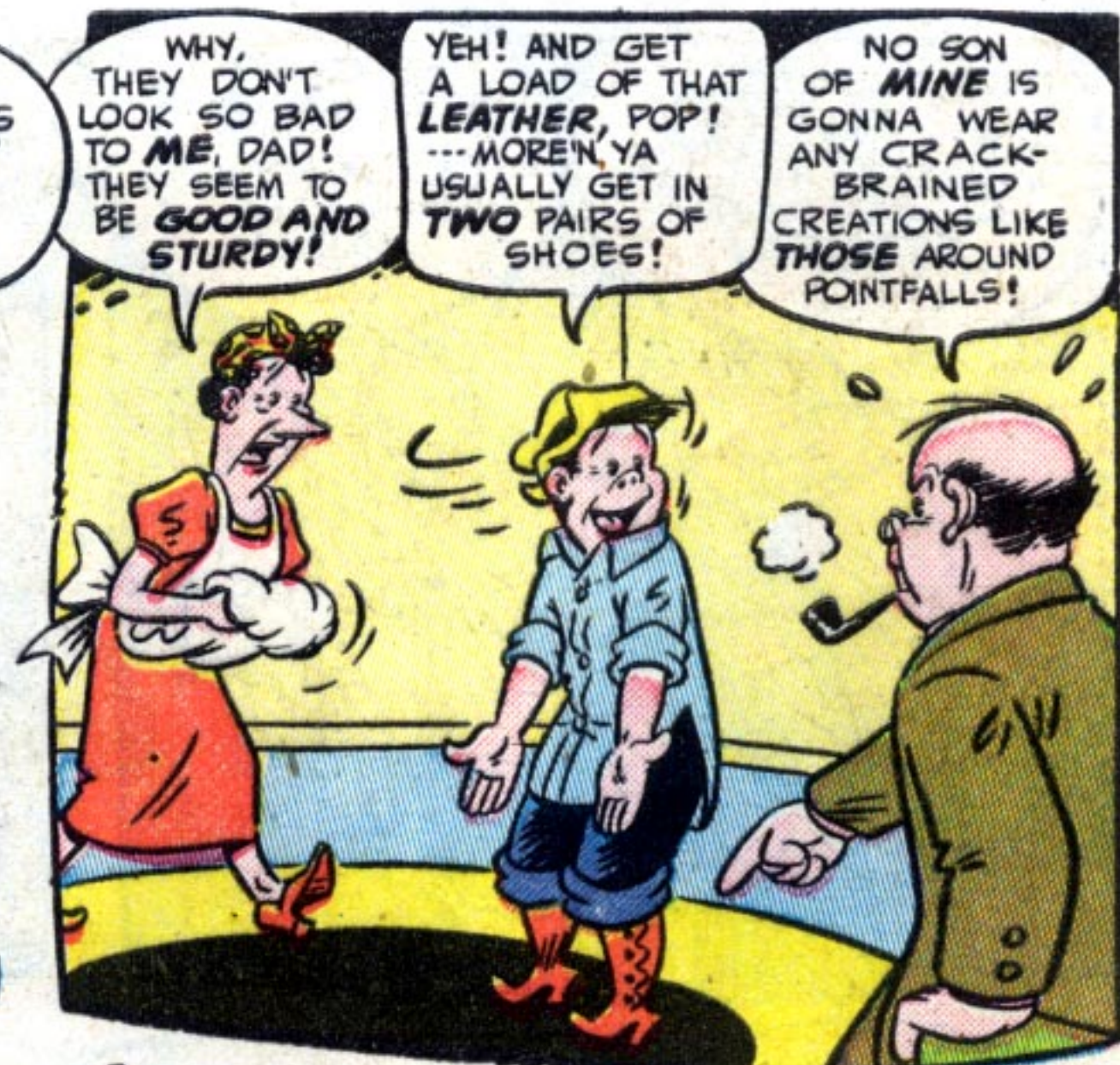
HEY! THESE SCHMOE SHOES **FIT!**

YEH? KEEN! TAKE 'EM OFF, AND I'LL CUT THE HEELS DOWN! **JACKSON, OLD PAL, YOU'RE SET!**



So... WELL, IT'S ABOUT **TIME** YOU GOT HOME! YOUR MOTHER'S BEEN WAITING SUPPER! DID YOU GET THE NEW SHOES SHE SENT YOU AFTER?

YESSIR... **GULP...** I'M **WEARIN' 'EM!**

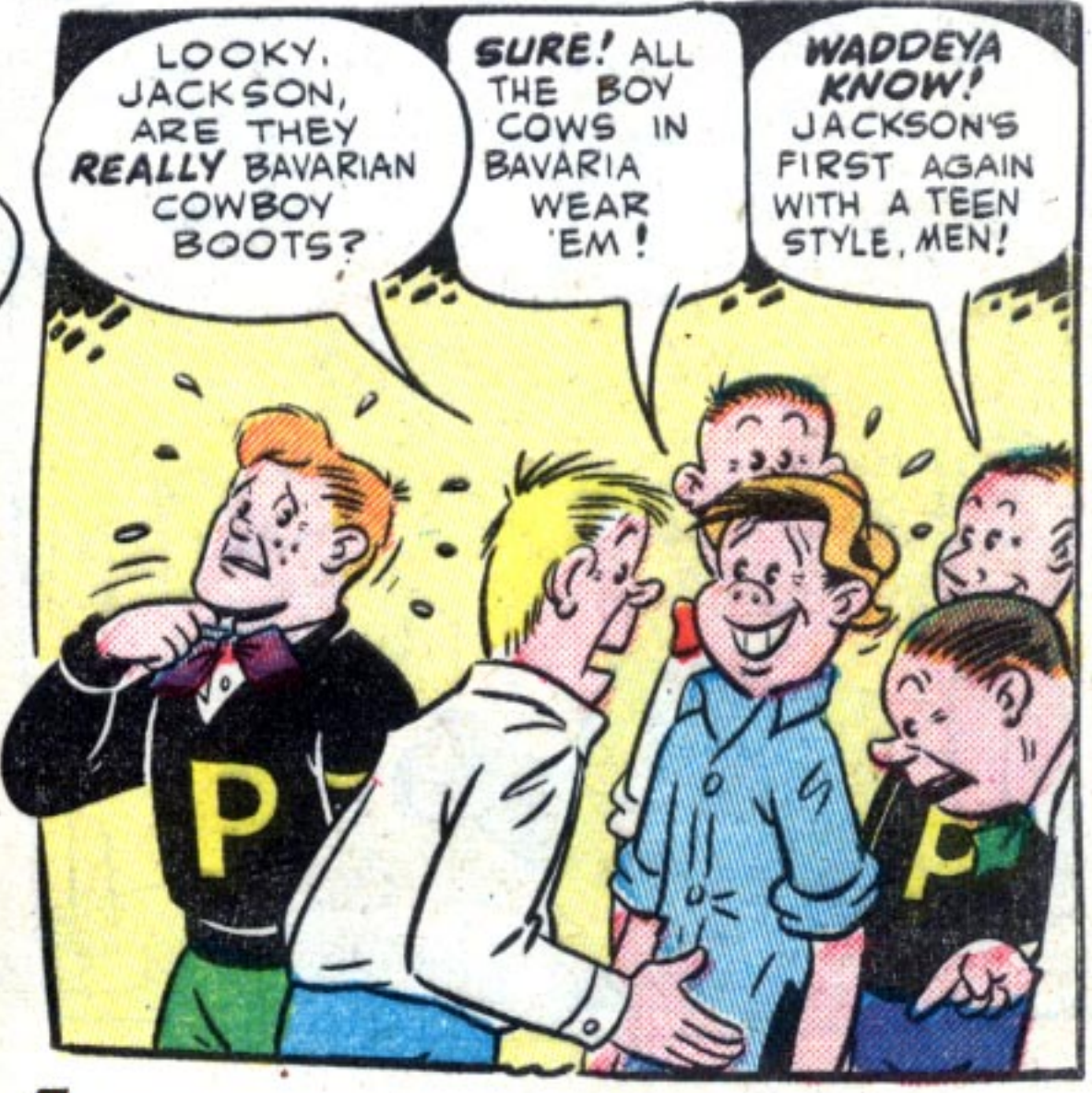




LISTEN, YOU GUYS!
HOW SQUARE CAN A
BUNCH A SQUARES GET?
THOSE DOGS ARE RIGHT
OUT OF **ESQUIRE**!
STRICTLY FROM **HEP**!
THEY'RE **BAVARIAN COWBOY
BOOTS!** THE NEWEST
THING FOR TEENS!

HEY, NO
KIDDIN'?

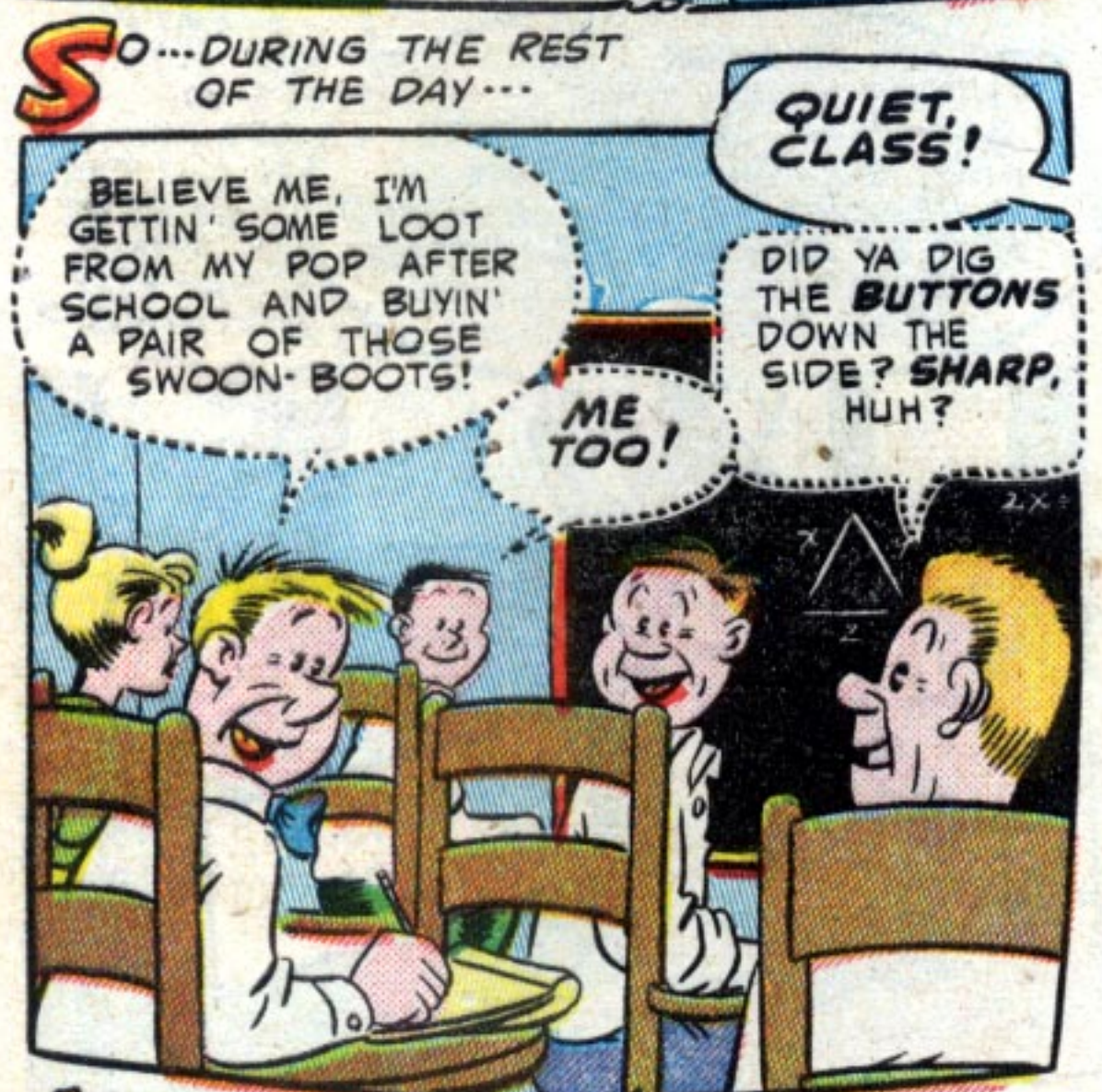
THEY WERE
REALLY IN
ESQUIRE, HUH?



LOOKY,
JACKSON,
ARE THEY
REALLY BAVARIAN
COWBOY
BOOTS?

SURE! ALL
THE BOY
COWS IN
BAVARIA
WEAR
'EM!

**WADDEYA
KNOW!**
JACKSON'S
FIRST AGAIN
WITH A TEEN
STYLE, MEN!



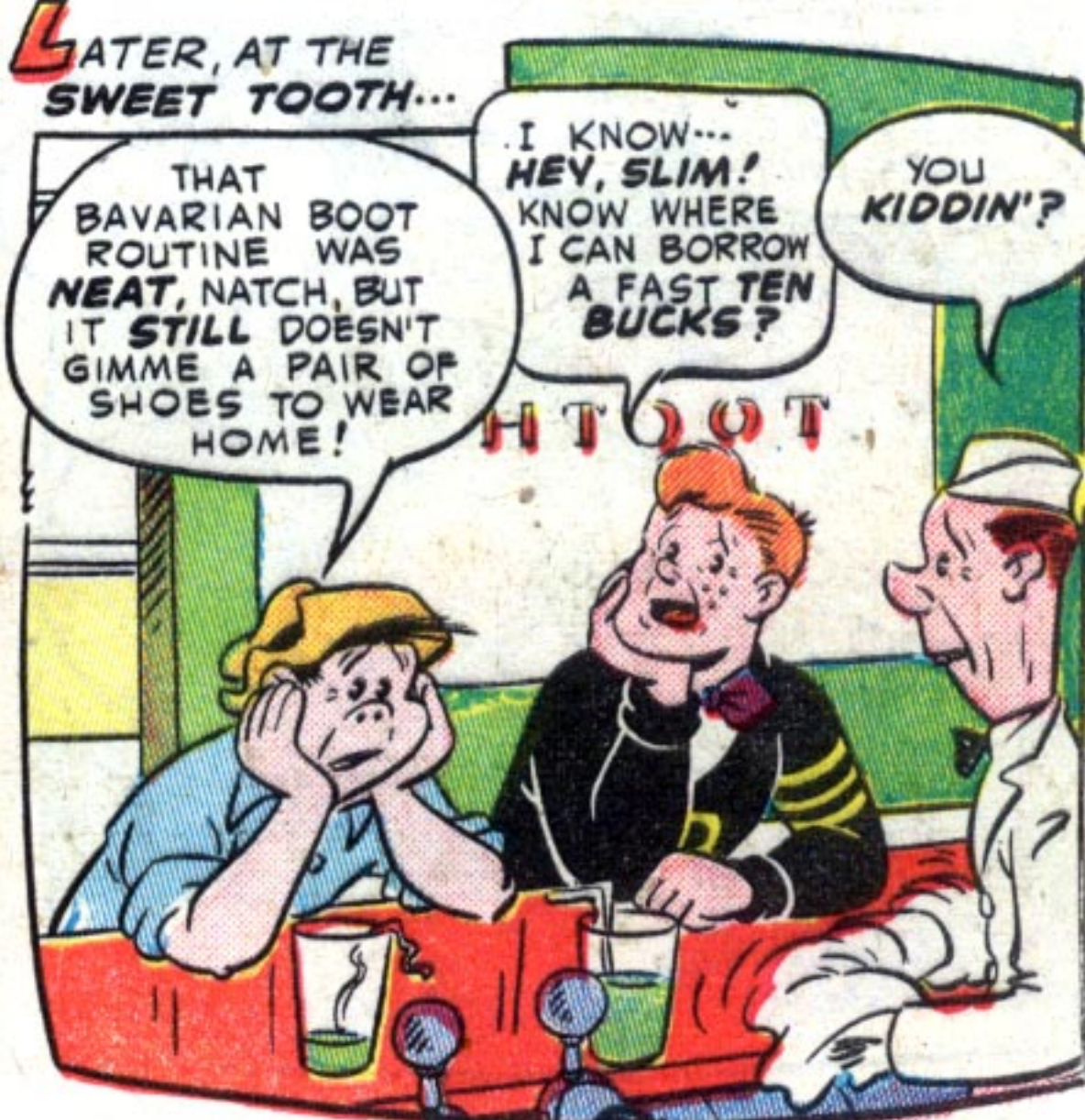
SO...DURING THE REST
OF THE DAY...

BELIEVE ME, I'M
GETTIN' SOME LOOT
FROM MY POP AFTER
SCHOOL AND BUYIN'
A PAIR OF THOSE
SWOON-BOOTS!

**QUIET,
CLASS!**

DID YA DIG
THE **BUTTONS**
DOWN THE
SIDE? **SHARP**,
HUH?

**ME
TOO!**



LATER, AT THE
SWEET TOOTH...

THAT
BAVARIAN BOOT
ROUTINE WAS
NEAT, NATCH, BUT
IT **STILL** DOESN'T
GIMME A PAIR OF
SHOES TO WEAR
HOME!

I KNOW...
HEY, SLIM!
KNOW WHERE
I CAN BORROW
A FAST TEN
BUCKS?

YOU
KIDDIN'?



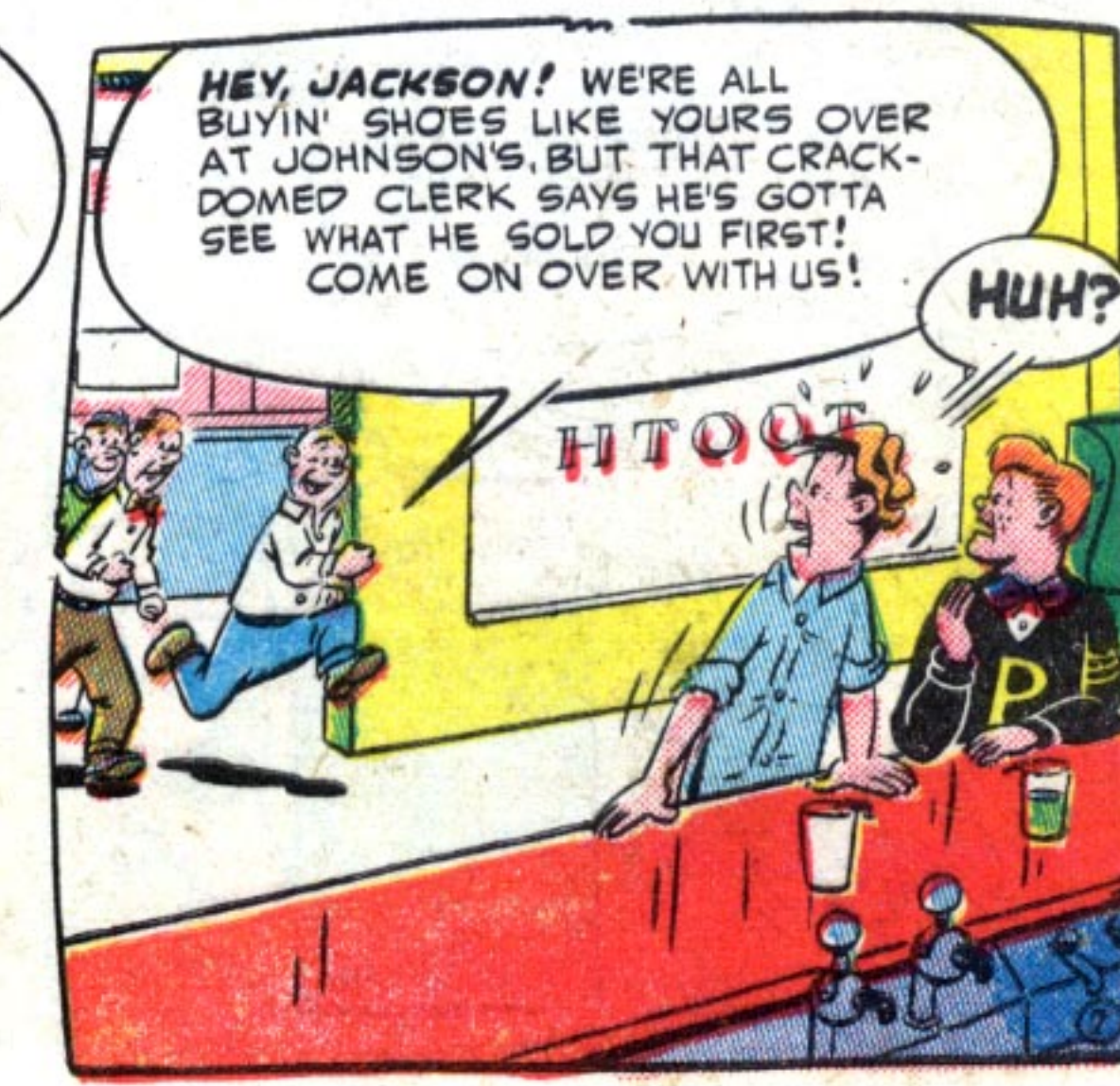
AND AT **JOHNSON'S
SHOE E**MPORIUM...

THERE'S A MOB OF HOWLING
KIDS OUT THERE, MR.
JOHNSON...AND THEY **ALL**
**WANT BAVARIAN COWBOY
BOOTS!** THEY SAY THAT
JACKSON BRAT BOUGHT
A PAIR HERE!

MUST BE SOME
NAME HE DREAMED
UP FOR ONE OF OUR
REGULAR NUMBERS!
...TELL THEM TO BRING
THE JACKSON BOY IN
AND LET US SEE WHAT
HE'S WEARING!

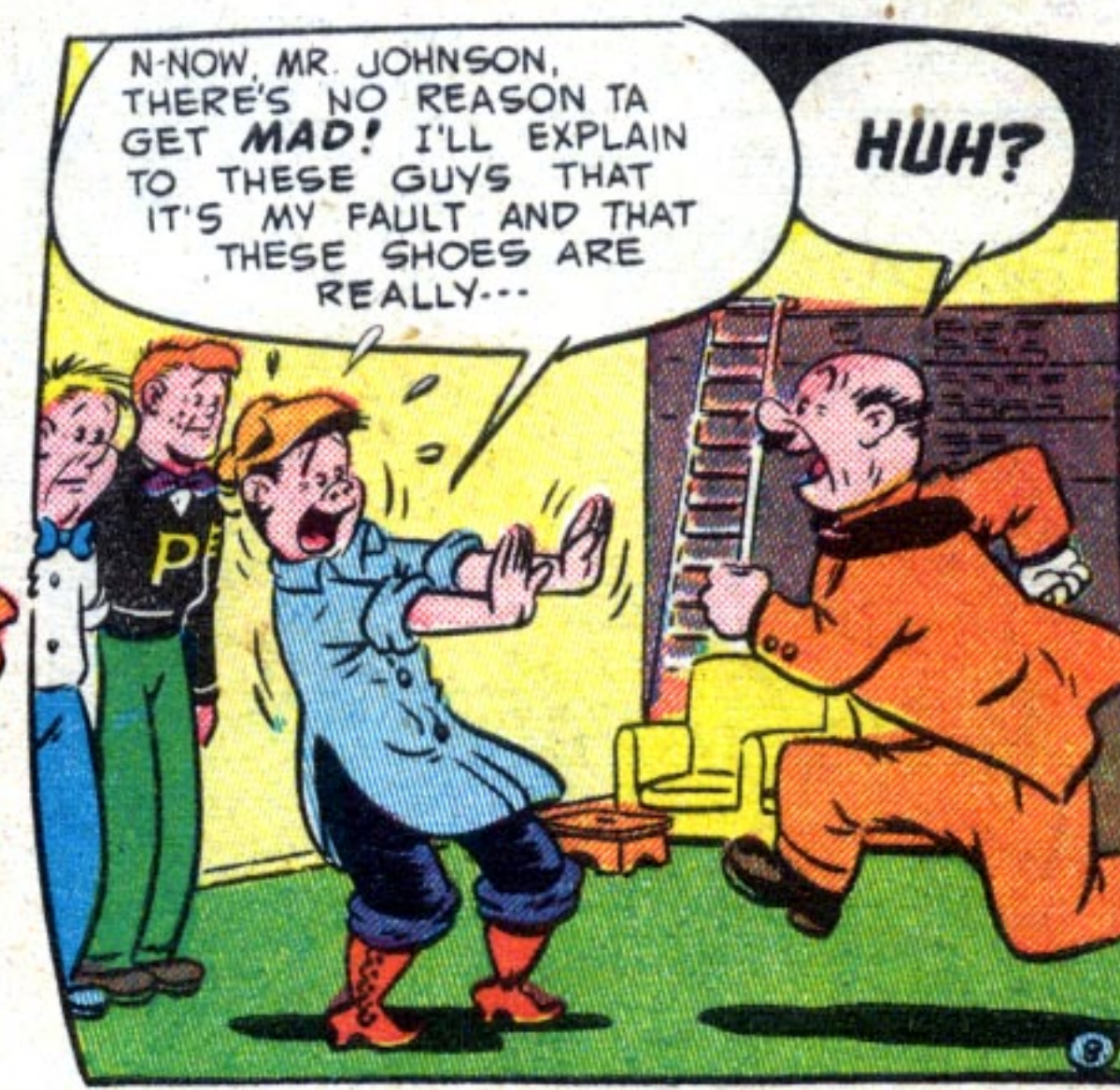
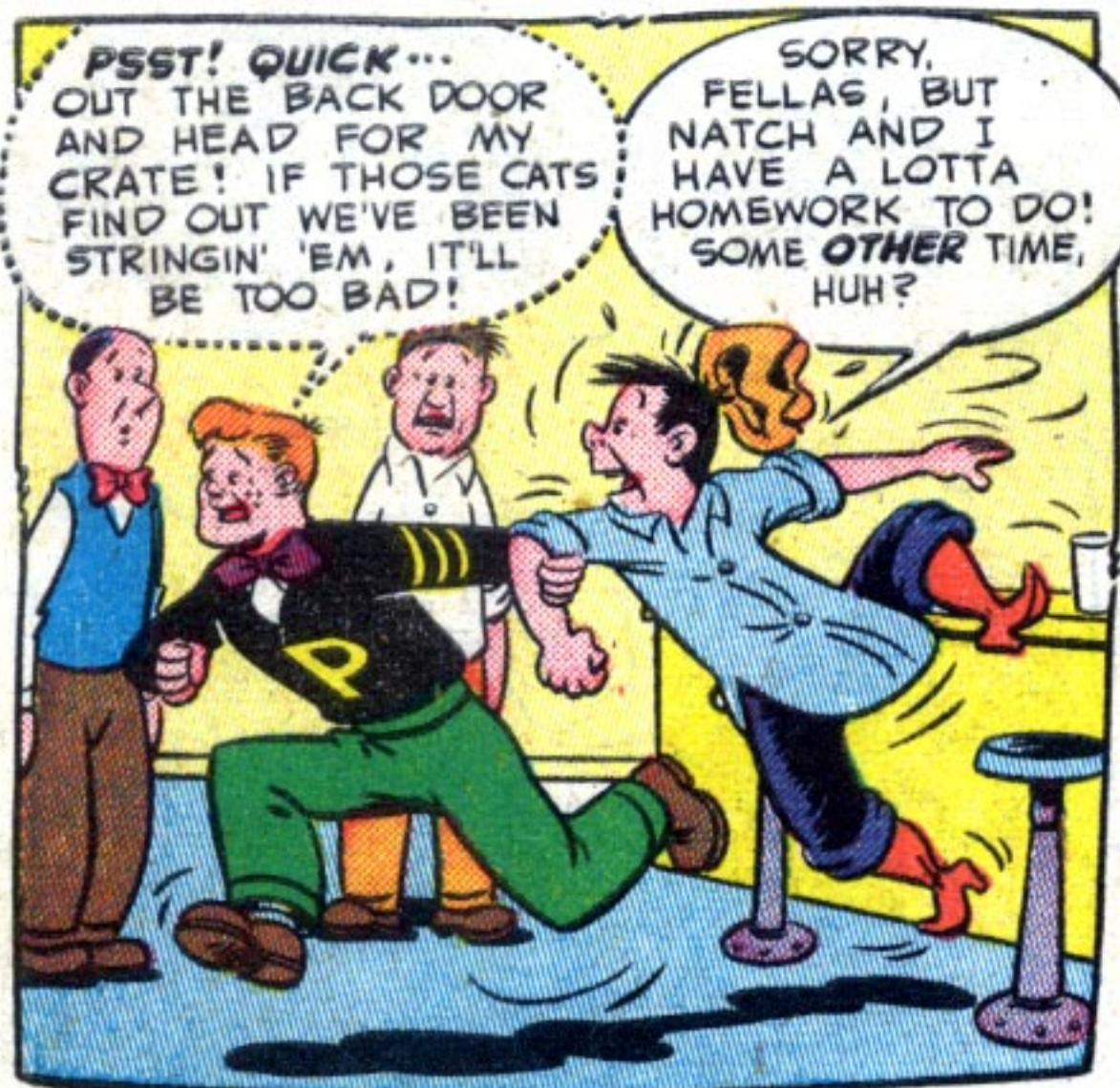
1/2 SOLES
AND RUBBER
HEELS
\$ 2.00

REPAIRING AT
LOW COST



HEY, JACKSON! WE'RE ALL
BUYIN' SHOES LIKE YOURS OVER
AT JOHNSON'S, BUT THAT CRACK-
DOMED CLERK SAYS HE'S GOTTA
SEE WHAT HE SOLD YOU FIRST!
COME ON OVER WITH US!

HUH?





WHAT JACKSON WAS ABOUT TO EXPLAIN, BOYS, IS THAT WE'VE GOT PLENTY OF **BAVARIAN COWBOY BOOTS** FOR ALL OF YOU! JUST BE SEATED!

HEY, **KEEN!** LET'S GET WITH IT, THEN!

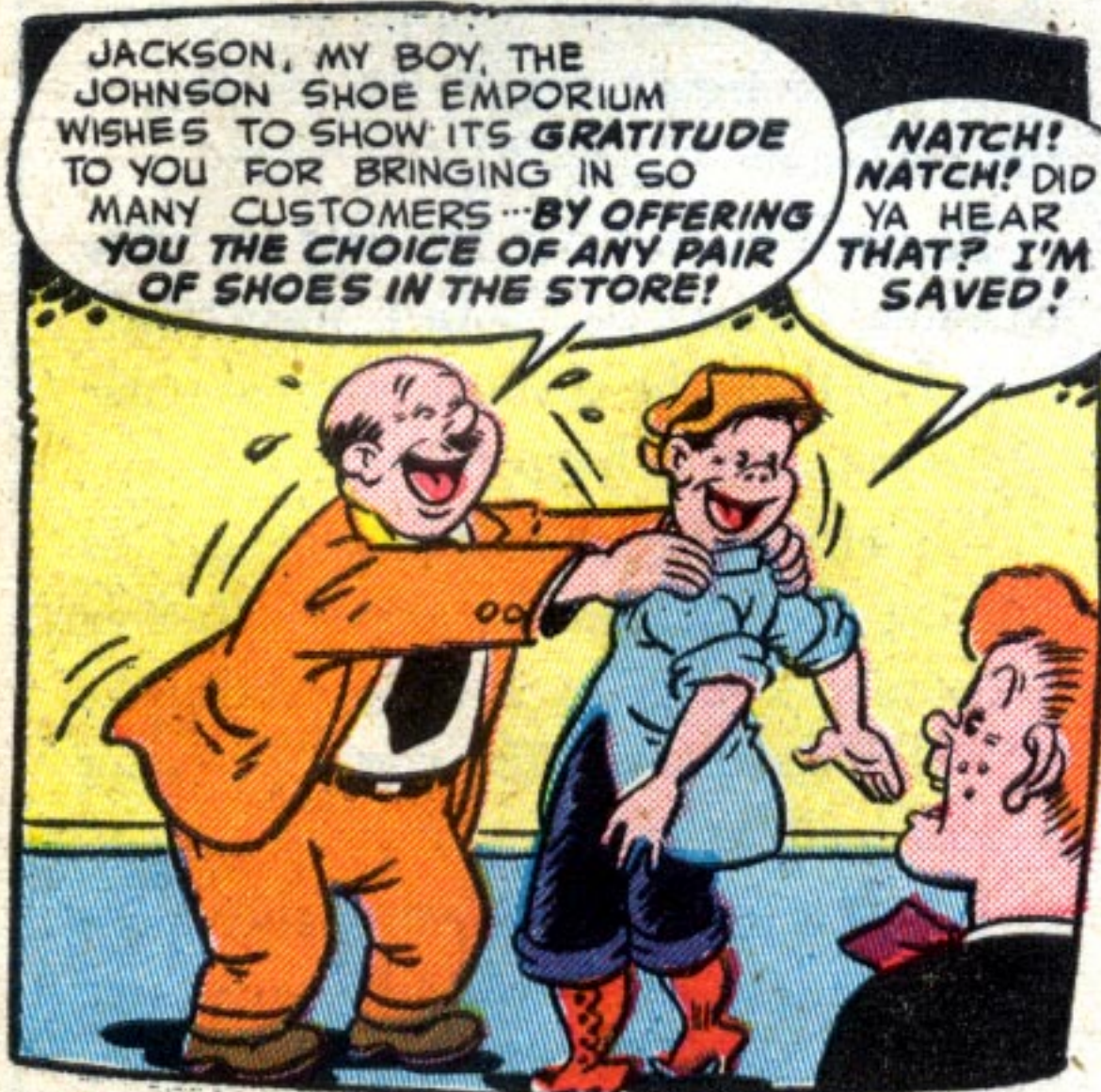
HUH?

AND SO...

WHAT A SALE! WHAT A SALE! IT WAS JUST LIKE **FINDING \$300.00!**

WELL, WADDEYA KNOW, JACKSON! EVERYTHING TURNED OUT ALL RIGHT **AFTER ALL!**

YOU **KIDDIN'?** REMEMBER, MY POP TOLD ME TO COME HOME WITH **DIFFERENT SHOES** ON... AND HE MEANT IT!



JACKSON, MY BOY, THE JOHNSON SHOE EMPORIUM WISHES TO SHOW ITS **GRATITUDE** TO YOU FOR BRINGING IN SO MANY CUSTOMERS... **BY OFFERING YOU THE CHOICE OF ANY PAIR OF SHOES IN THE STORE!**

NATCH! NATCH! DID YA HEAR THAT? I'M SAVED!



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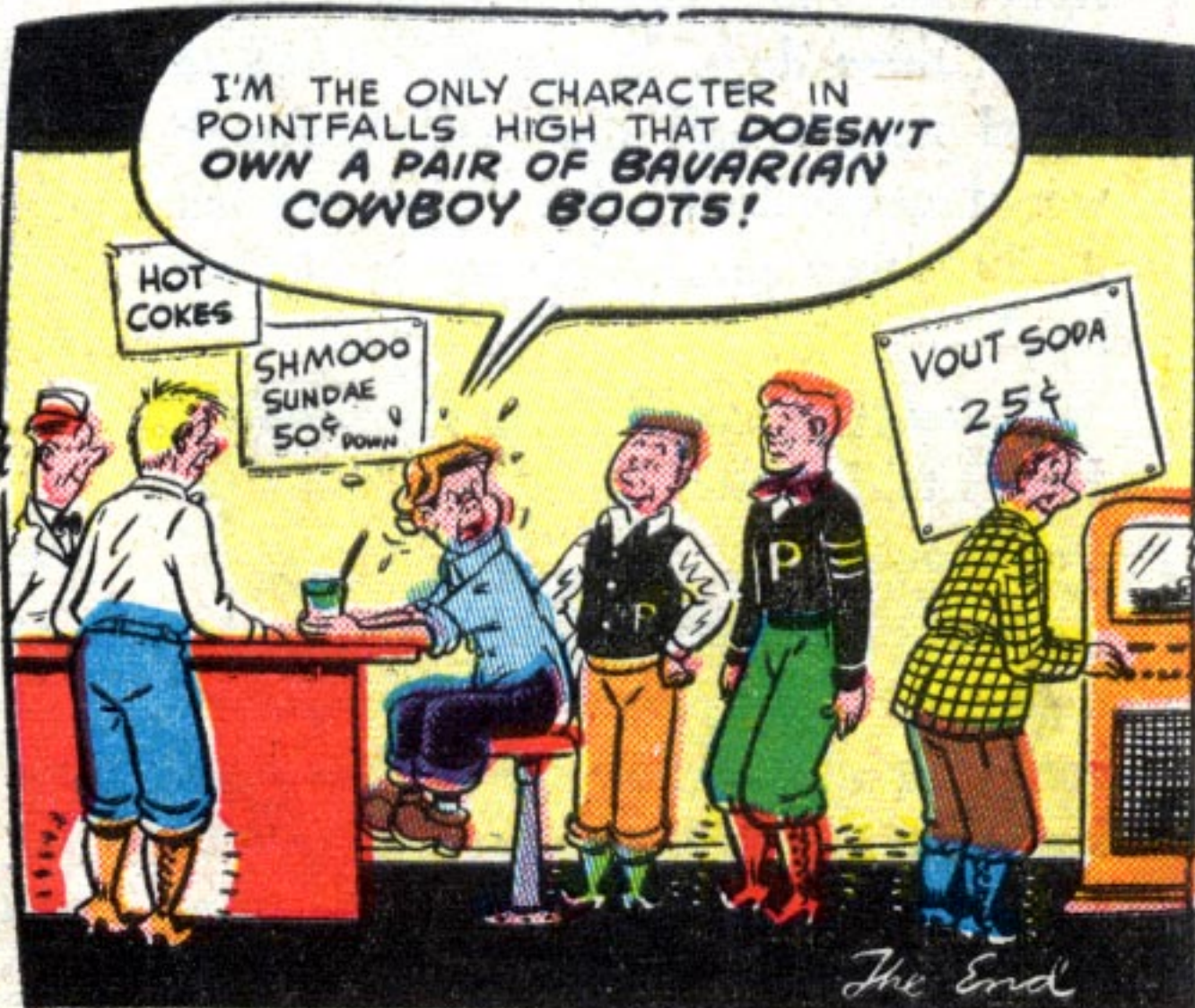
YEH! YEH! SURE, NATCH! HEY, SHOW ME 10 OR 20 MORE STYLES, MR. JOHNSON... I'M **NUTS** ABOUT TRYIN' ON SHOES!

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The **BREAKING** POINT

EVERYBODY who was anybody was in the auditorium that afternoon! And why not? The Mystery Voice Contest was about to be judged . . . the biggest thing that had ever hit Greenvale High!

There on the judges' table was the stack of records, each one submitted anonymously. There, next to the records, was the player. Soon the platters would be spinning under the needle and the best singing voice of all would be chosen!

The prettiest judge, of course, was Allie Fenton. From the rear of the auditorium, Jimmy Hall looked at her crown of bright, auburn hair, her round, expressive eyes, her quick, white smile.

For Jimmy adored Allie, mutely, it's true, but definitely. "How can I speak to her?" Jimmy tortured himself. "The last time I asked her to go out, she laughed at me! I guess a guy whose voice is changing just isn't *romantic*!"

That was exactly what had happened. Jimmy's voice, which was doing a switch from high to low, could never be depended on these days. When he wanted to sound mature and dignified, a squeak would squeak itself into his voice, sending it all the way up. And people would just laugh.

"I wouldn't care if it was just people," Jimmy told himself. "It's Allie I'm worried about!"

And then, there was little time for thinking. For the judges had held up their hands for silence. The contest was starting! Ceremoniously, a stack of records was lowered into the player. The turn-

table started to spin. The voice of the first contestant, nameless and mysterious, flowed into the auditorium.

It wasn't much of a voice. Before the chorus was over, the kids began to chatter and joke, impatient with the monotony of the singing style.

The second record was a little better. At least the singer didn't seem to be tone-deaf. The chattering ceased somewhat, as everyone tried to guess the identity of the contestant.

Records three, four, five and six were passable. Record six, in fact, wasn't half bad. But then, the changer released number seven, and it happened.

All chattering and joking ceased as the first few bars hit the airways. It was a popular love song, a little bit funny, a little bit sad. And the voice that sang it was built to match.

It had a peculiarly sweet quality, now high, now low, sometimes a bit raspy and sometimes as soft and mellow as velvet. As the song spun itself out, there was a round of enthusiastic applause in the auditorium.

And, right then and there, Allie Fenton cast her vote. "That's for me!" she announced firmly. "Whoever sings like that sends me!"

"We're all sent, Allie," the other judges agreed. "Will the Wonderful Voice step up and identify himself?"

This time, Allie Fenton did *not* laugh as Jimmy Hall said, "Thank you," in his scratchy-sweet, unreliable voice. She smiled at him instead.

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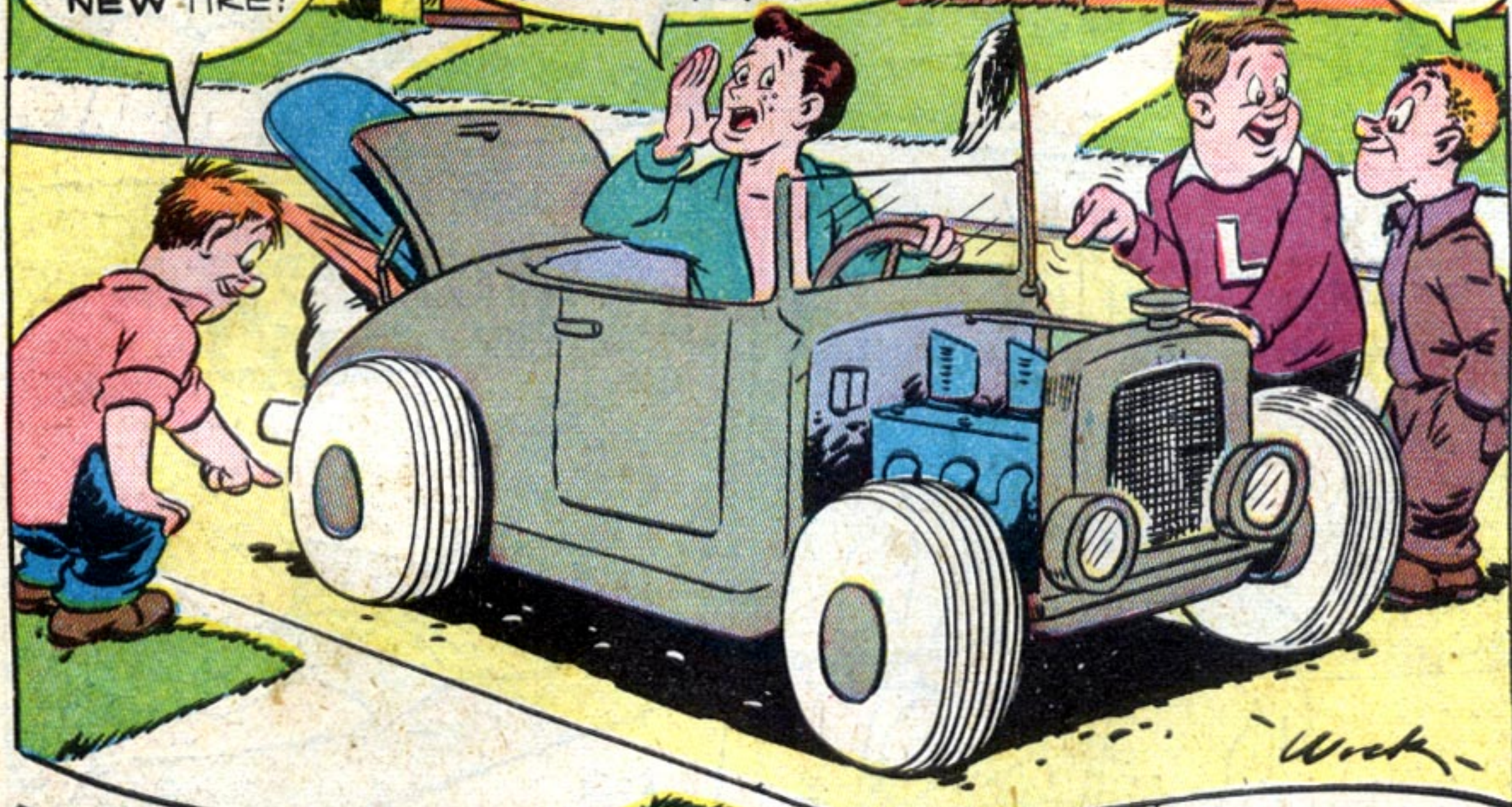
"Hubba" HUBBARD

HEY, JOEY,
CAST YOUR
GLIMS ON
THIS--A
NEW TIRE!

PENNY, COME ON!
HURRY UP! ---
COME ON, FELLAS, GO
AWAY! I'VE GOT A
DATE! --PEN-NNY!

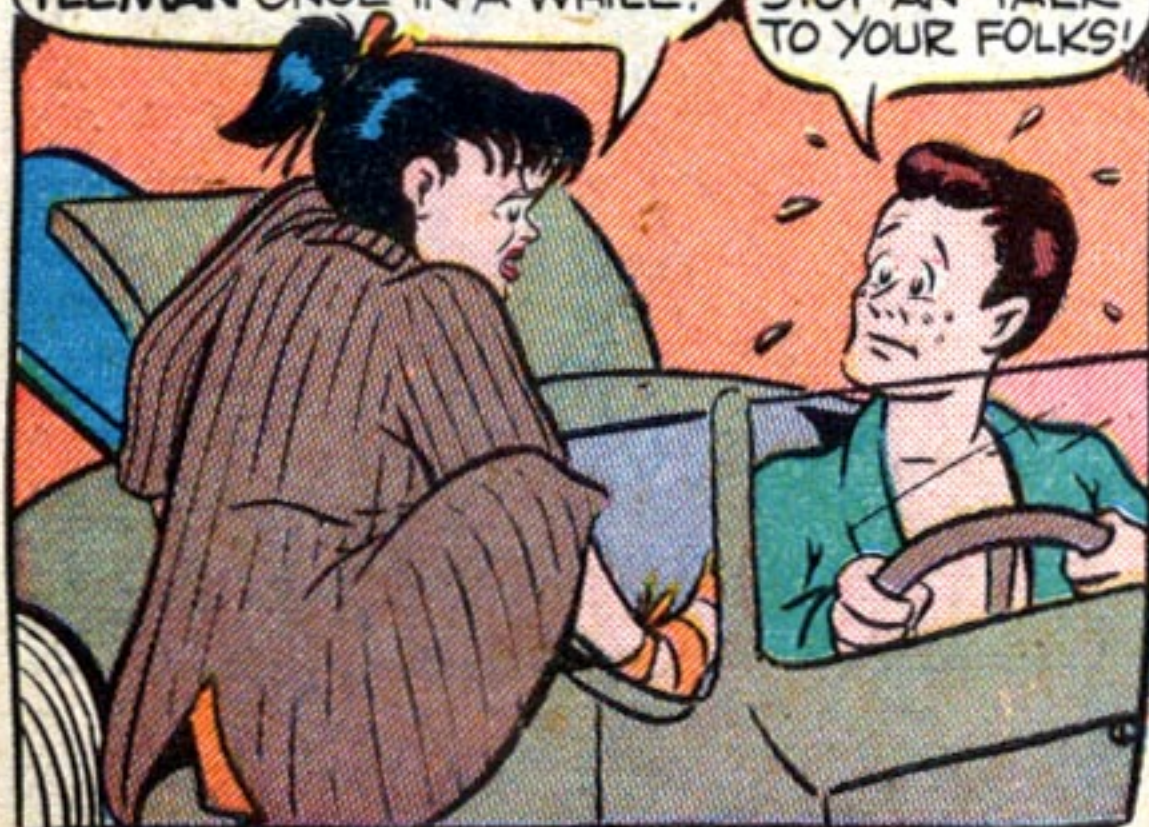
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LOOK AT
THOSE
CARBURETORS!

YEAH!



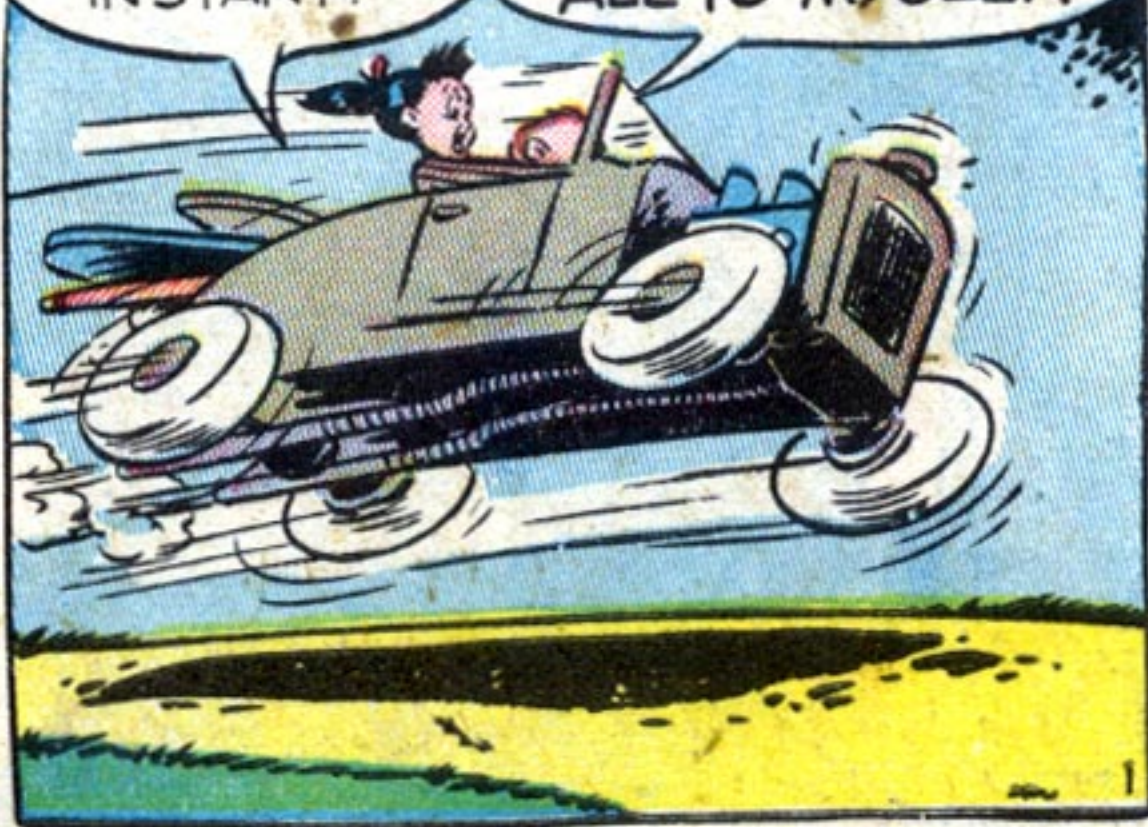
LISTEN, HUBBA HUBBARD,
JUST 'CAUSE WE'RE GOING
KINDA STEADY DOESN'T
MEAN YOU DON'T HAVE
TO COME UP TO THE
DOOR FOR ME ANYMORE!
TRY ACTING LIKE A GEN-
TLEMAN ONCE IN A WHILE!

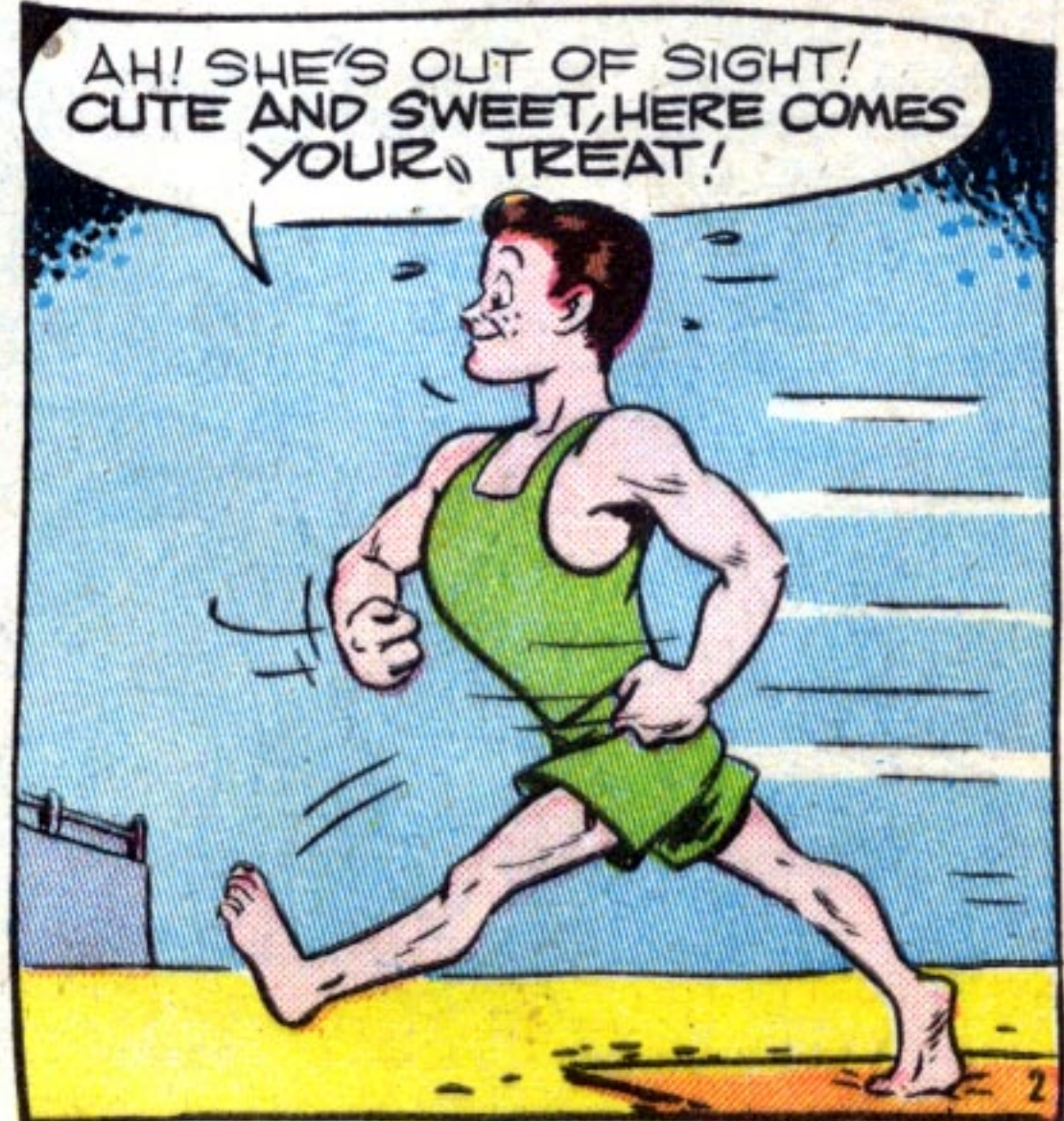
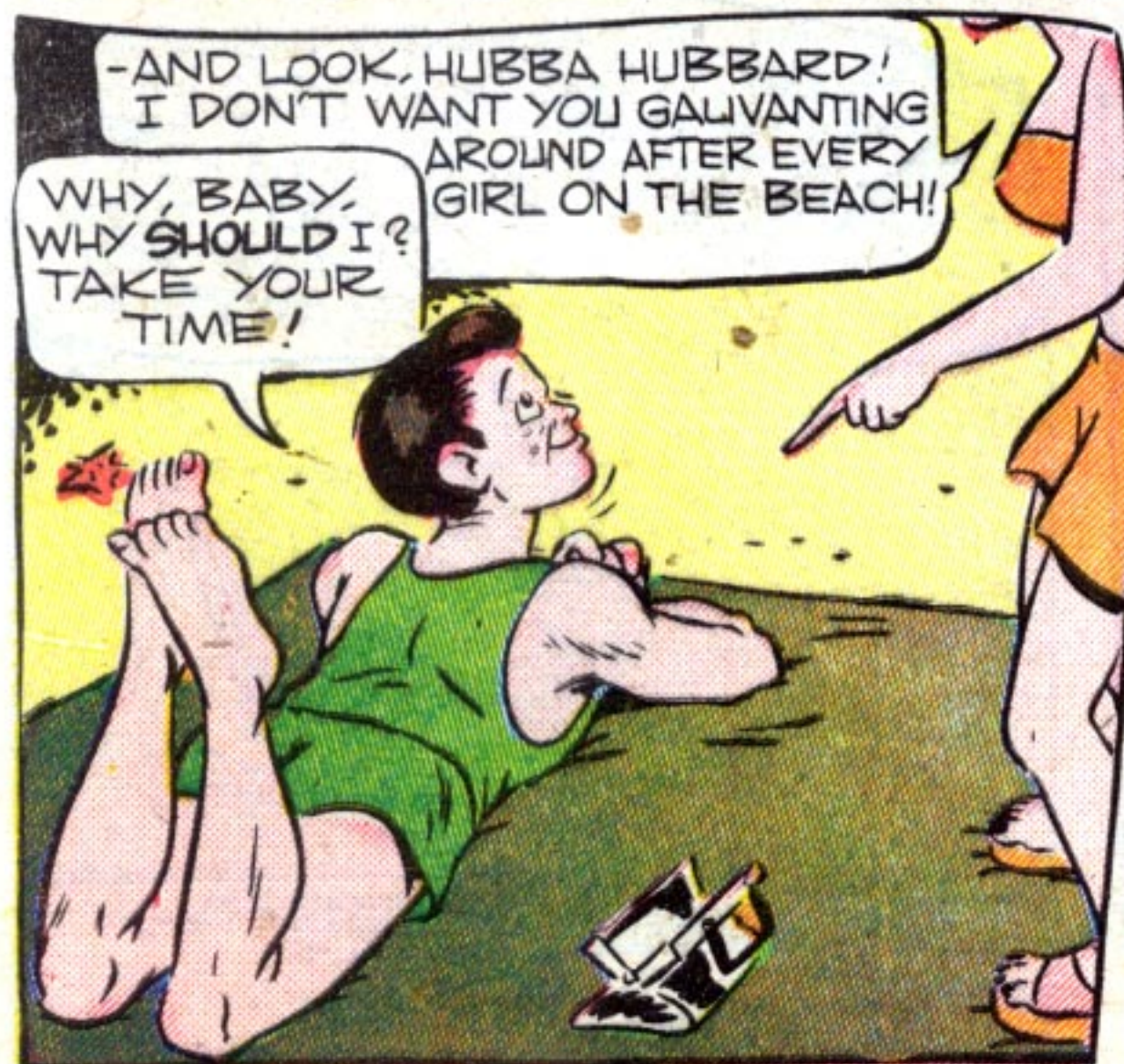
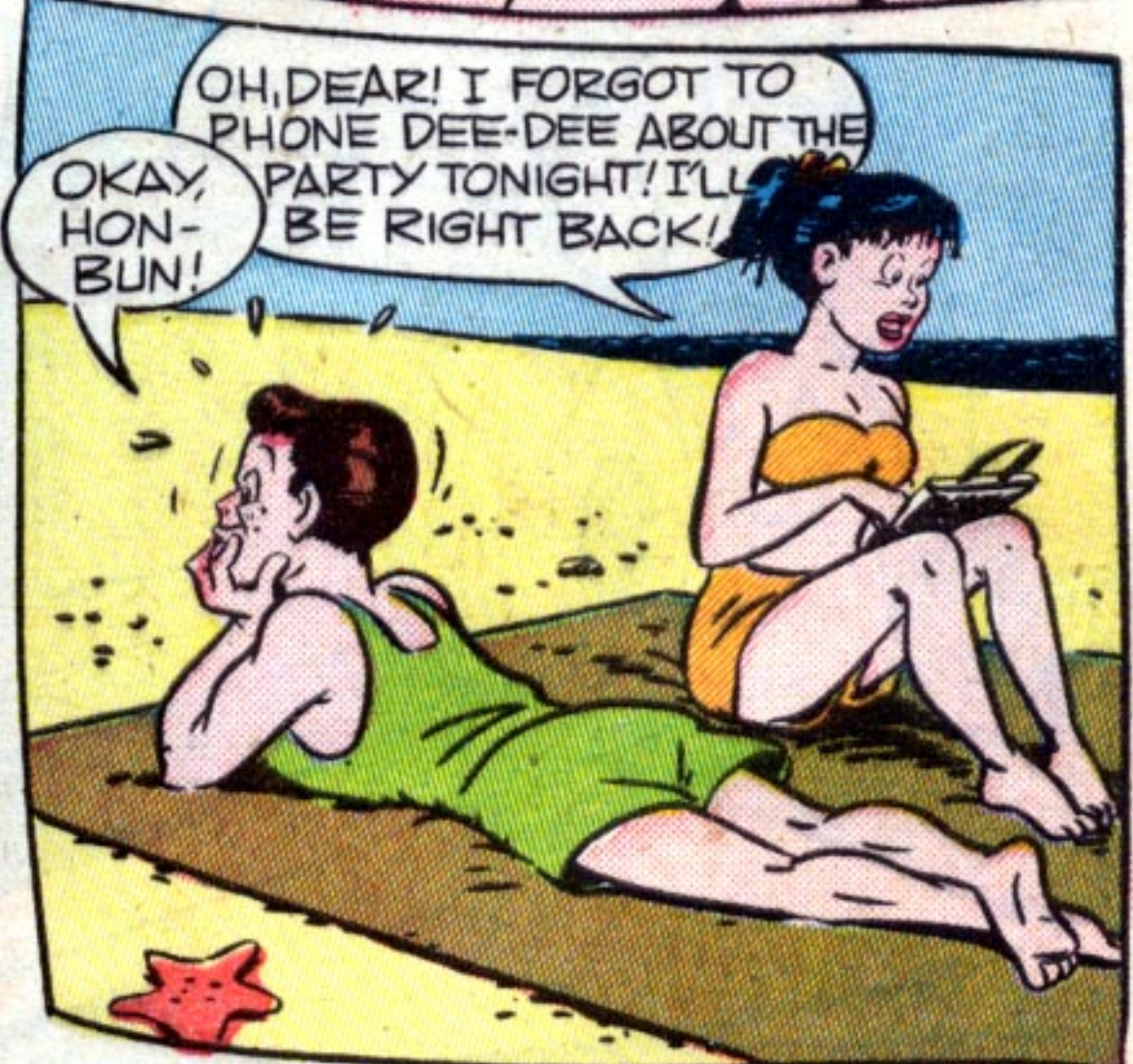
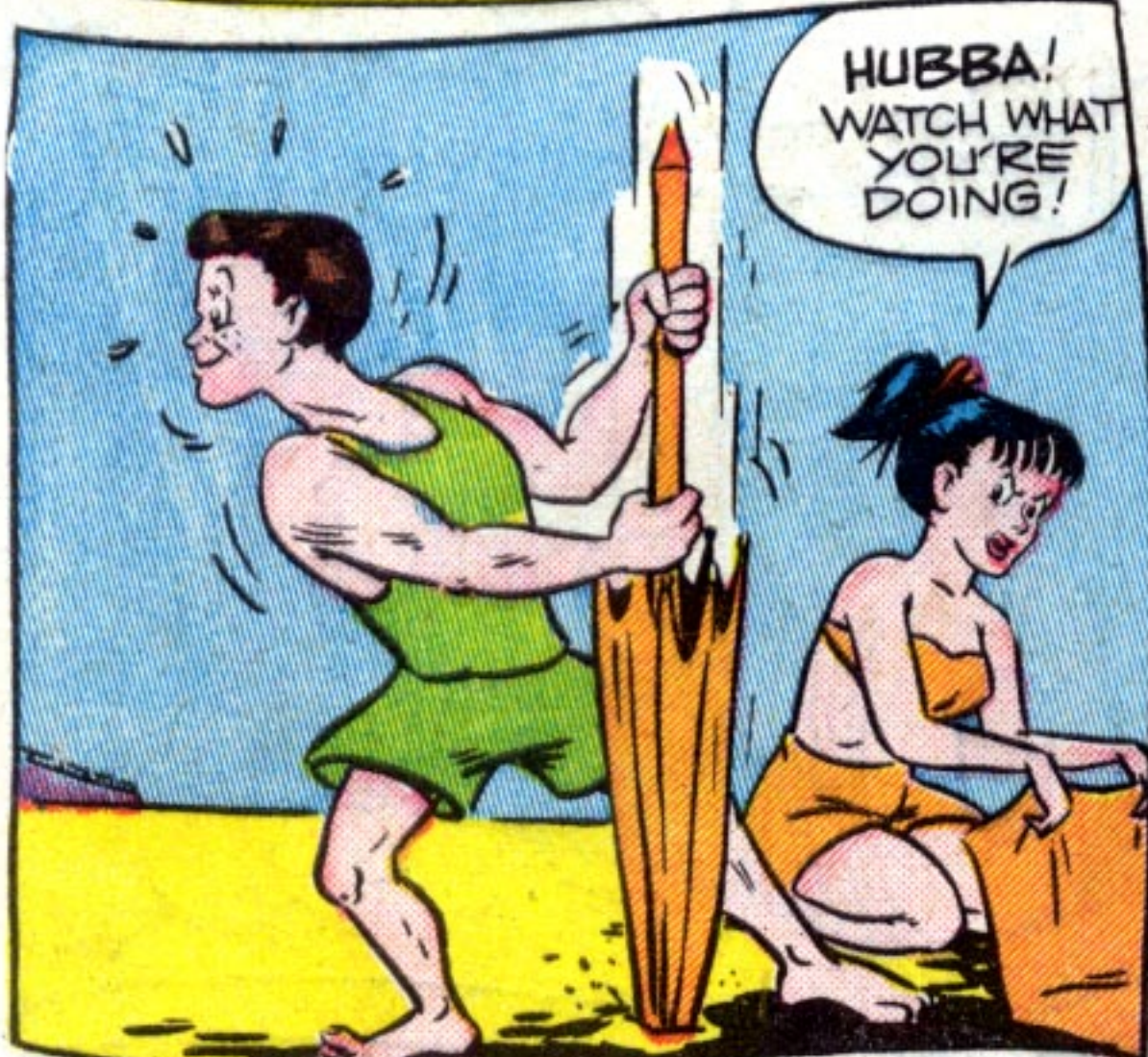
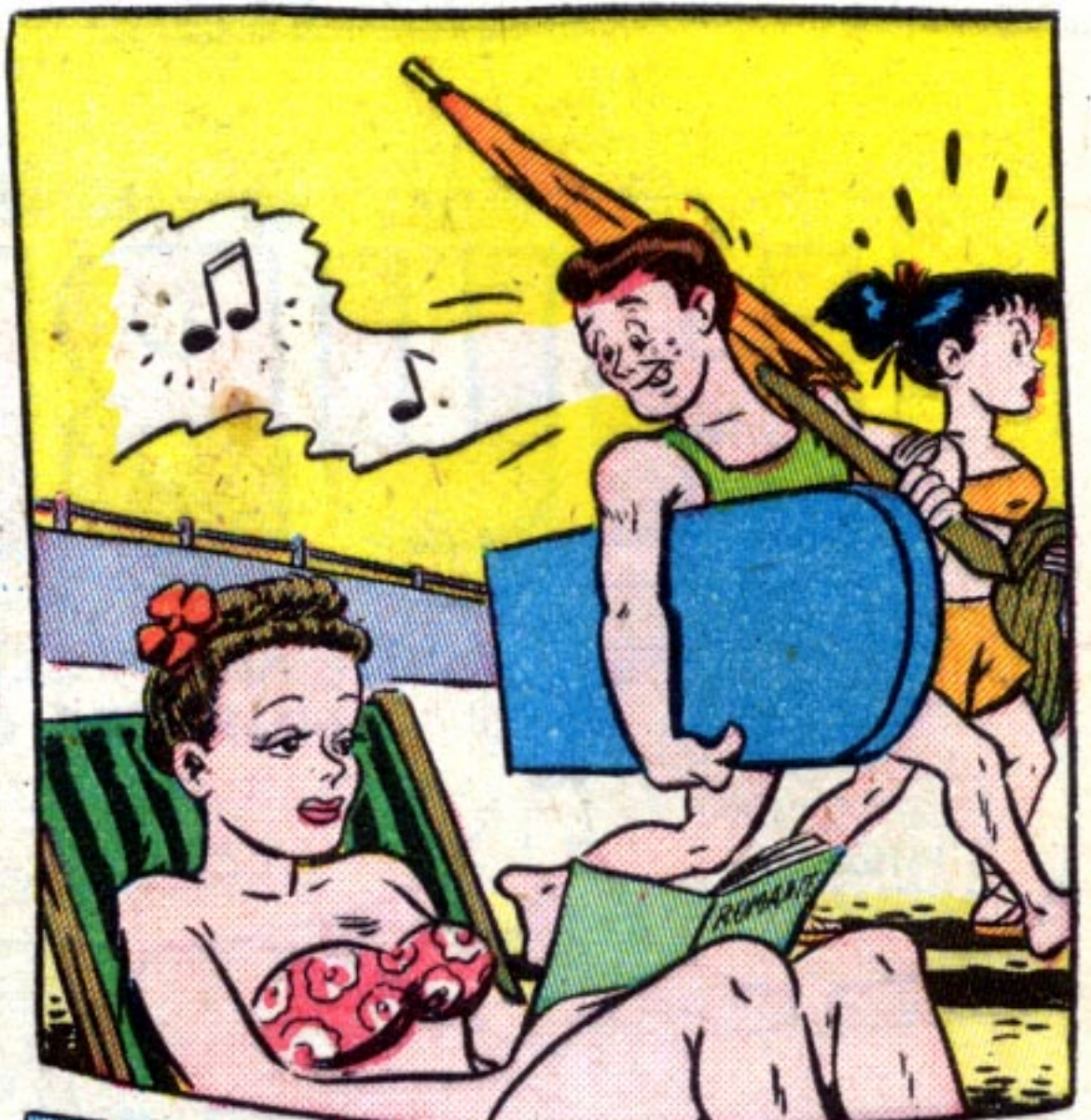
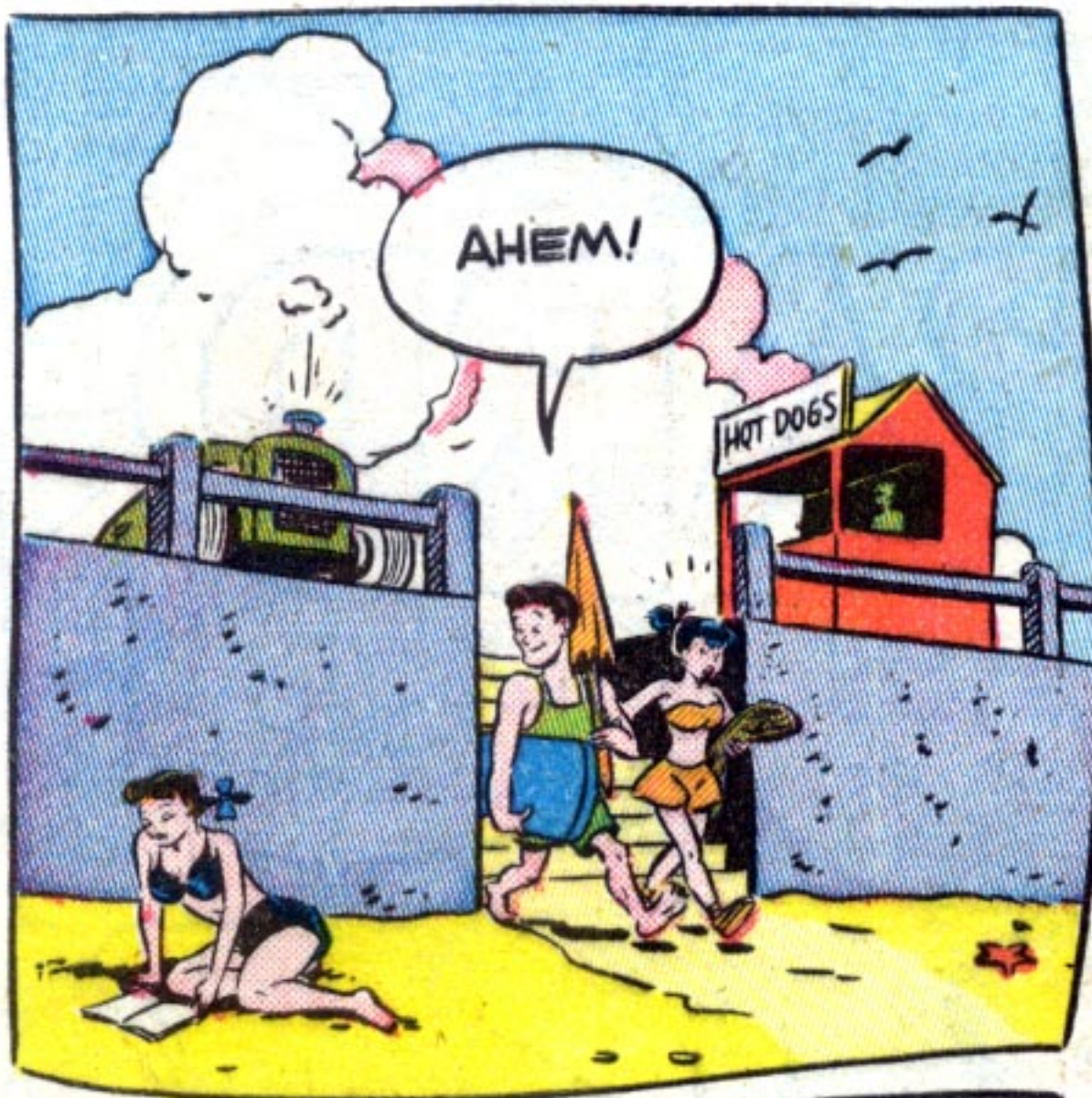
I DIDN'T MEAN
ANYTHING,
PENNY! SHUCKS!
I JUST DIDN'T
WANTA HAVE TO
STOP AN' TALK
TO YOUR FOLKS!

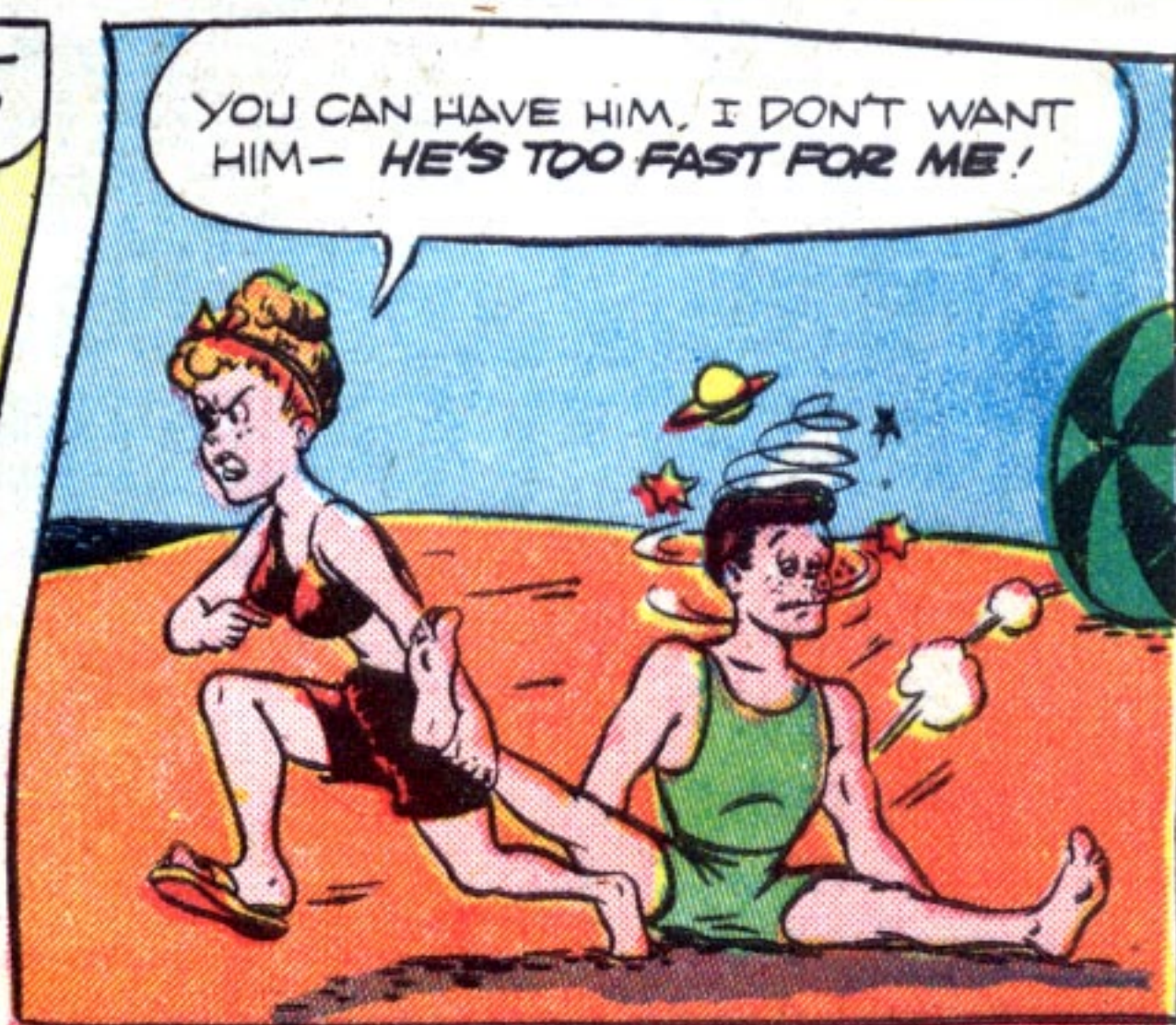
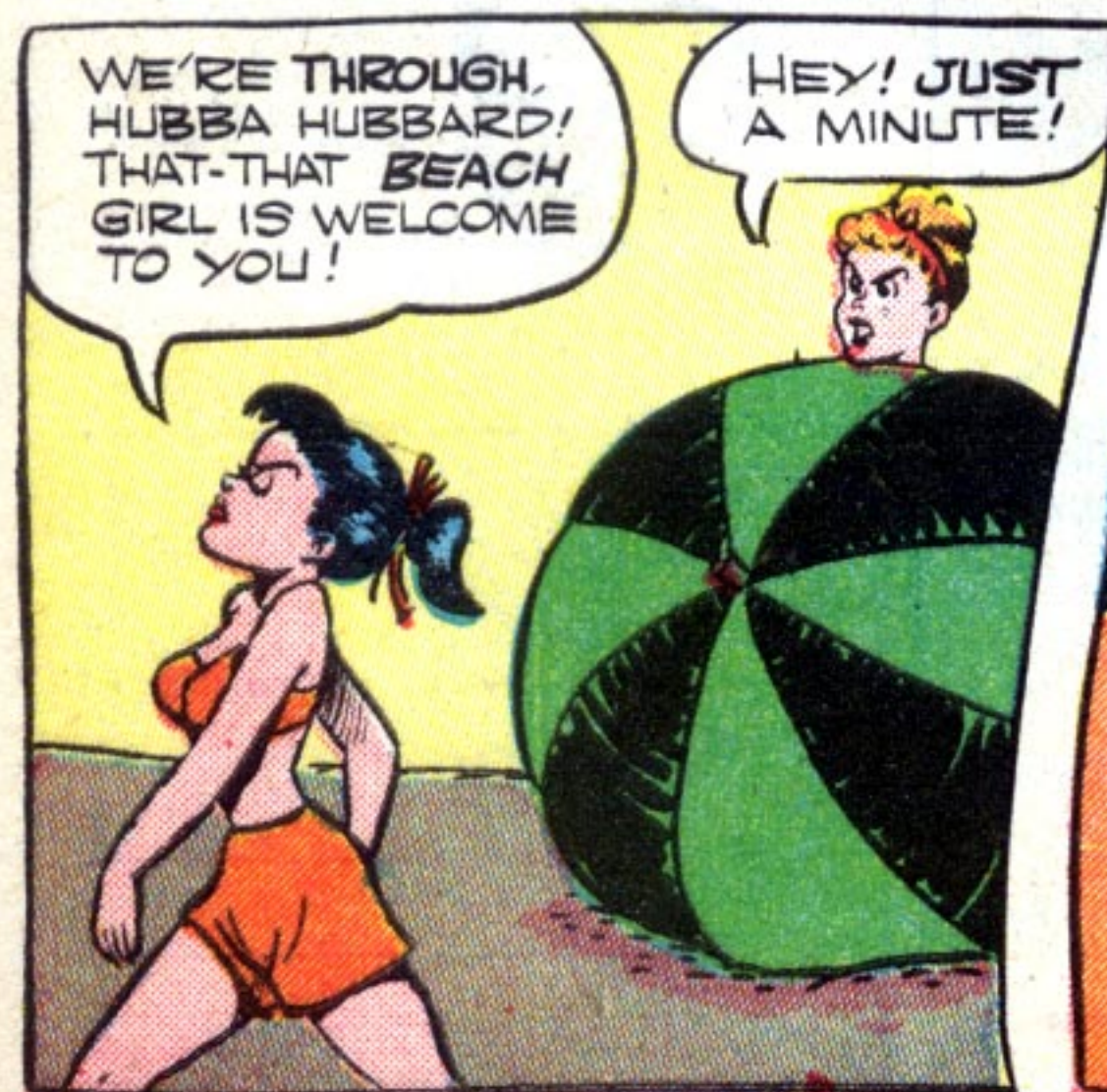
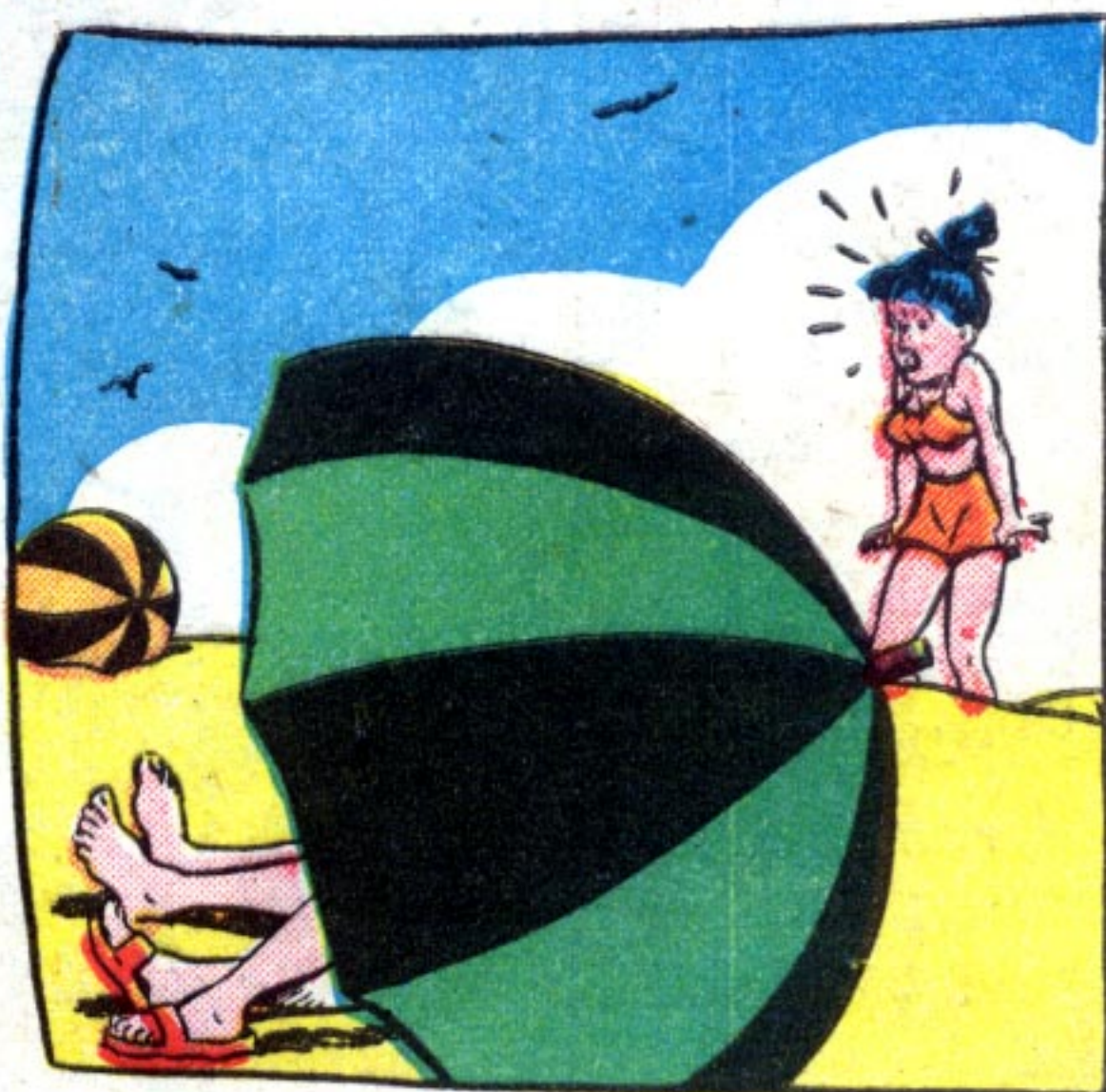
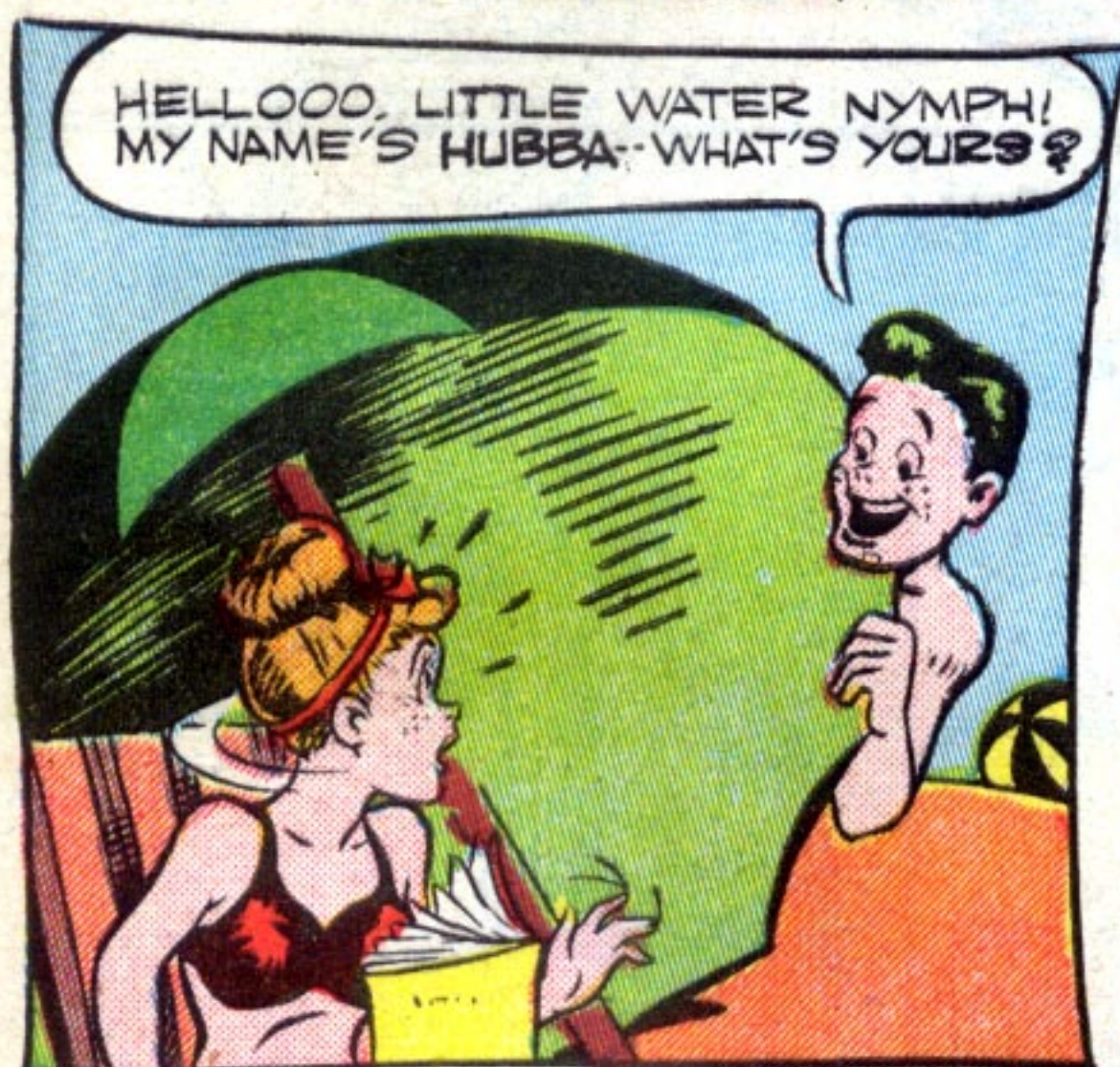
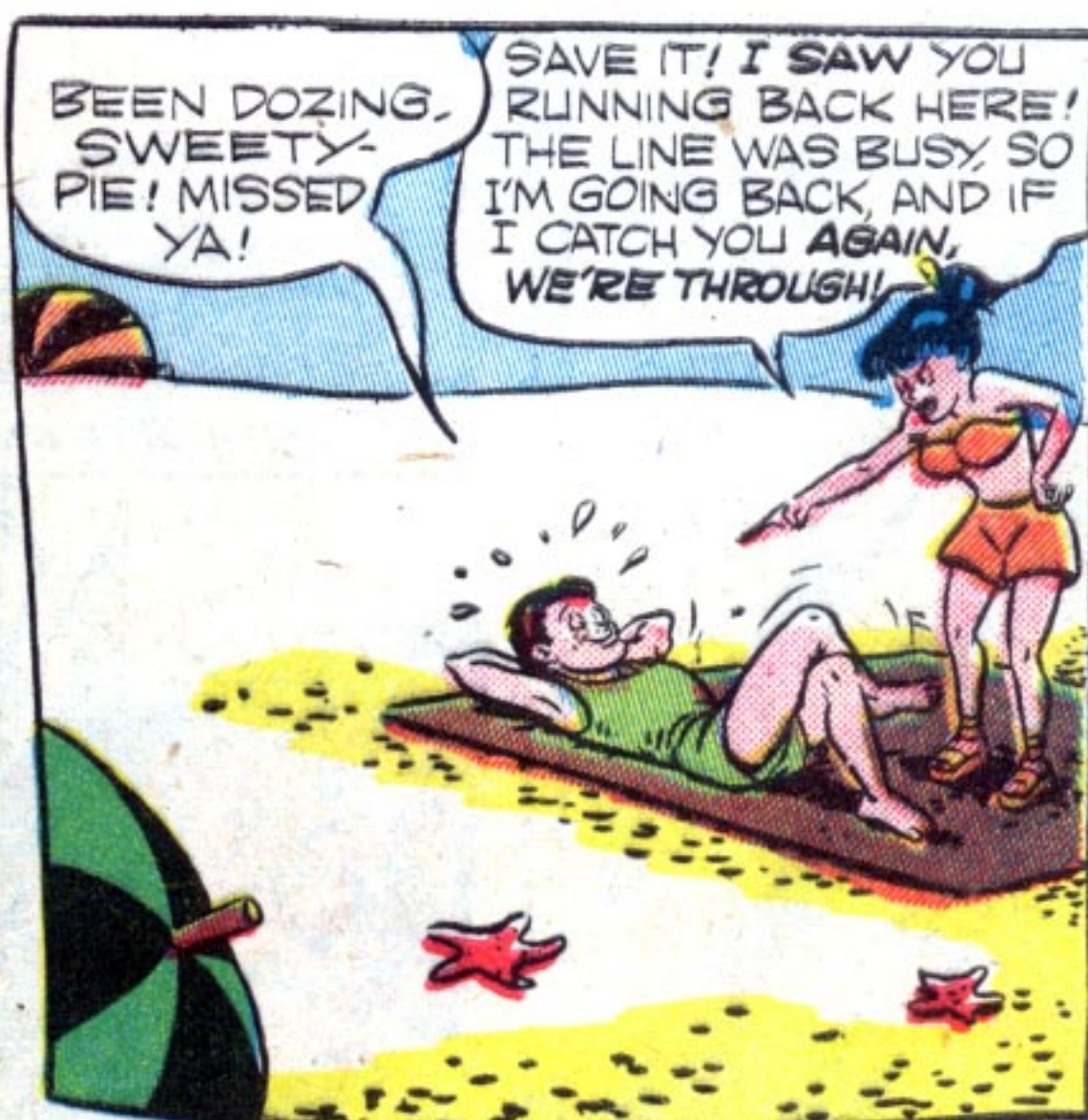
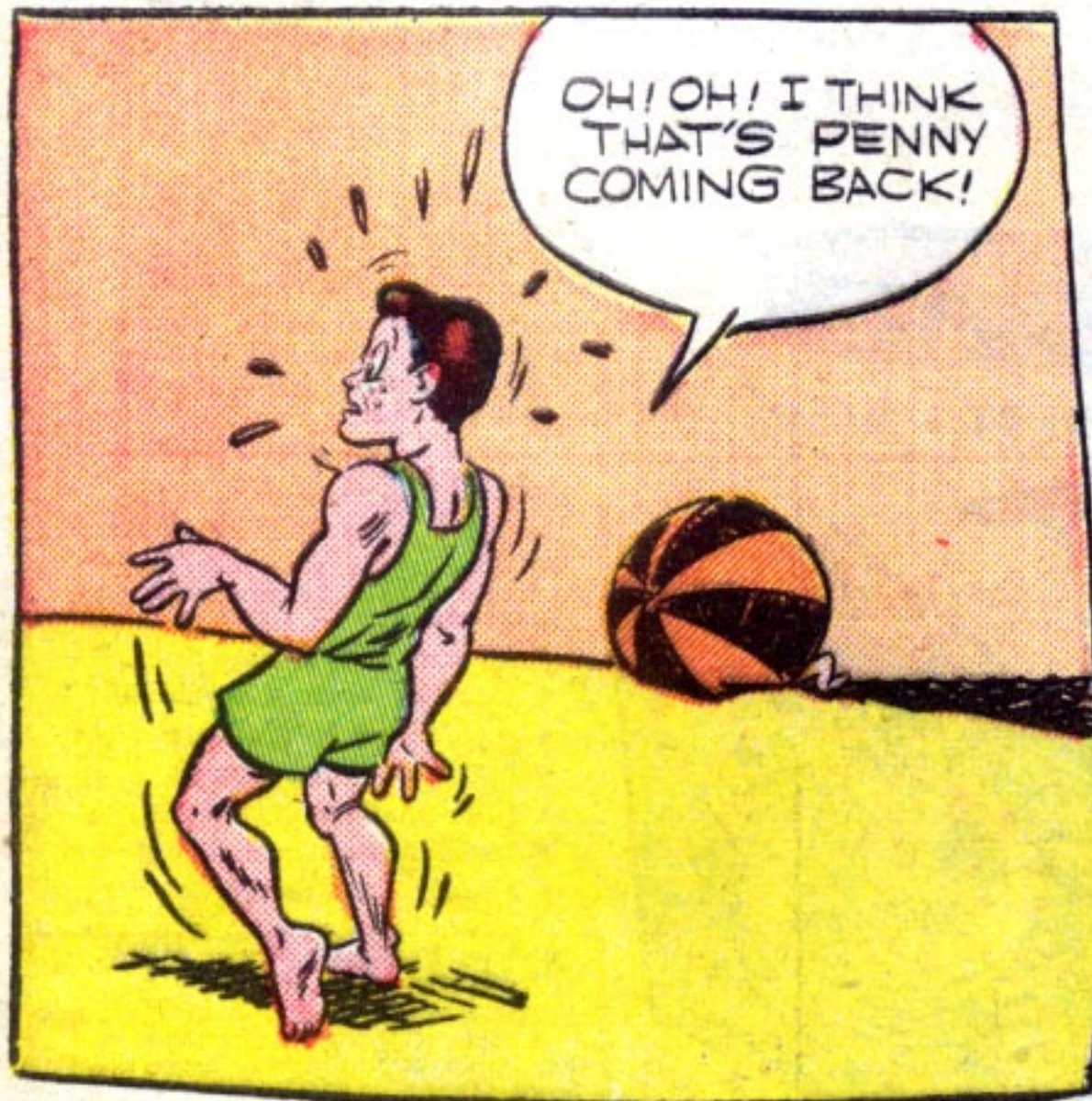


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PLUGS ON THIS JALOPY, IT'LL REALLY
DIG! WE OUGHTA BE AT THE BEACH
IN PLENTY OF TIME TO GET A
GOOD SPOT! THEN
I CAN HAVE YOU
ALL TO MYSELF!

HUBBA! SLOW
DOWN THIS
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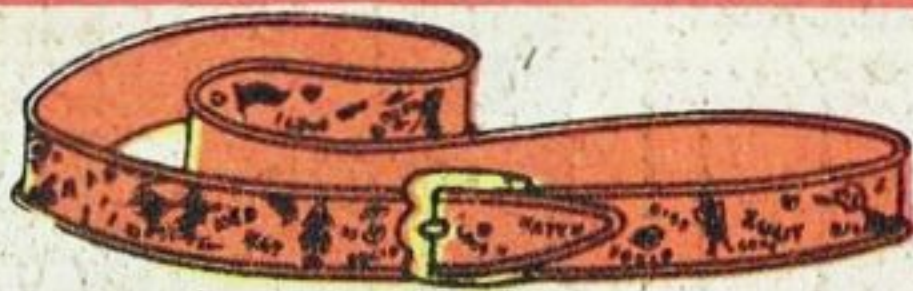
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